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PREMIER BRIAND IS ATTACKED

Occupant Of Gallery In Chamber Of Deputies Fires Two Shots From Revolver At Head Of Government

NEITHER BULLET REACHES ITS MARK

One Wounds Leon Mirman, Director Of Public Assistance—Wild Scene In Chamber Follows Shooting

PARIS, Jan. 17.—The Chamber of Deputies was thrown into a panic today by an attempt on the life of Premier Briand. Two revolver shots were fired at the ministerial bench from the public gallery, but the premier was unharmed One of the bullets entered the leg of Leon Mirman, director of the department of public assistance in the ministry of the interior. The wound is not serious.

The assailant is a man named Gisolme, who was formerly a clerk of the courts of Bayonne. He was pounced upon by the police before he could use his weapon again and was hurried from the place. M. Briand was quickly surrounded by others in the ministry and by the deputies and heartily congratulated on his escape from death.

Gisolme first attracted the attention of those seated near him when he rose from a seat near the centre of the balcony and pushed forward quickly to the railing. Suddenly he whipped a revolver from his pocket and aimed the weapon first in the general direction of the ministerial bench and then deliberately upon M. Briand and fired. The first bullet, it is thought, embedded itself in the woodwork near the premier's seat The report had scarcely died away, when the second shot was fired. It is believed this is the one that struck M. Mirman.

Jules Razimbaud, the Radical Socialist, was making a speech from the tribune on the subject of the budget of the ministry of the interior when the first shot was fired. Many of the deputies laughed, thinking the explosion was a joke, but the second report changed their mirth to anger as a wreath of smoke was wafted into the dome. Mirman, sitting beside Premier Briand, was seen to topple over, exclaiming as he fell, "I am shot." Cries of "Coward, coward," filled the chamber as the spectators seized the assailant, who was attempting to make his escape.

Amid the uproar President Brisson declared the session adjourned and ordered that the hall be vacated.

As Gisolme was led through the corridor by guards several deputies rushed on the prisoner and struck him. Other members surrounded the prisoner and protected him. Following his arrest Gisolme declared he wished to kill Briand. He said he hated all deputies and was sorry that others of them had not been wounded by his shots.

Gisolme is well known to the police, having been but recently liberated from an insane asylum in which he had been kept following an unsuccessful attempt on the life of the British consul at St. Sebastian.

New Ore Shipper

NELSON, B. C., Jan. 17.—The Phoenix Amalgamated War Eagle mine will enter the regular list of Boundary ore shippers next month. The mine is ready to produce, the tramway and ore bunkers having been put in shape, but a short delay will eb occasioned by the C. P. R. spur requiring to be ballasted. A construction crew started this work yesterday, and the track will be put in temporary shape until spring and then re-ballasted. The property is owned by the Consolidated company, and will commence shipments of about 100 tons a day to the smelter.

WANT LUMBER INCLUDED

British Columbia Association Takes Action Regarding Possible Arrangement With Australia

VANCOUVER, Jan. 17.—In any trade preference which may be agreed upon between Canada and the Australian commonwealth the inclusion of lumber among the articles to be named in the basis of reciprocity is urged by the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association, which has sent the following telegram to Premier Laurier respecting the proposed negotiations between the two dominions for a trade agreement similar to that now existing between Canada and New Zealand: "British Columbia lumbermen urge most strongly that lumber be included in Australian preference as most important to the interests of this province." The telegram was signed by Mr. John Hendry, president of the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association.

Mr. MacMaster's View.

MONTREAL, Jan. 17.—Speaking on "British Elections" before the Woman's Canadian Club this afternoon, Donald MacMaster, member of the British House of Commons, said there was apparently no reason for the last elections except that John Redmond promised to make the government toe the mark, and did make them to do so. "Unquestionably there must have been a promise of home rule given him," said Mr. MacMaster. "The reason why the veto bill was pressed was that the House of Lords would never have passed a home rule bill without an appeal to the people, but if the power of the Lords is reduced then a home rule bill could be passed."

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MISADVENTURE OF SUBMARINE

German Boat Sinks To Bottom Of Kiel Harbor And Is Raised Again In Three Hours By Salvage Vessel

KIEL, Germany, Jan. 17.—The German submarine "U-3" sank in the harbor today, but was raised after three hours' work and the crew of 25 men rescued unharmed.

The sinking was due to the accidental filling of the water bunkers. Soon after it disappeared, the salvage ship Vulkan, which is equipped with modern machinery for the raising of submerged vessels, was on the spot and gave the first successful demonstration of what she could do in the emergency for which she had been planned.

First communication with the submarine was established by a buoy telephone, over which the commander of the "U-3" reported that the vessel had a forty-eight hours' supply of oxygen and that the crew was in no immediate danger. Divers were then sent down, and they placed a chain about the hull of the submarine. The chain was attached to powerful cranes built on the deck of the Vulkan and soon the "U-3" slowly rose from her bed in the mud.

Prince Henry of Prussia was an interested spectator.

Carries Two Passengers.

RHEIMS, France, Jan. 17.—Henry Winmann today made a new cross-country record by a flight in his bi-plane to Meurmelon and return with two passengers.

UNDER CONTROL OF COMMISSION

View Taken By House of Commons As To Canadian Pacific Rates—Mr. Maclean's Amendment Voted Down

OTTAWA, Jan. 17.—The first of a series of public grievances from which W. F. McLean considers country is suffering, and for which he has remedies to suggest, was dealt with in the house today. The member for South York introduced his subject as an amendment to the government's motion to go into supply.

Mr. McLean's contention was that parliament should intervene on the strength of the clause of the C. P. R. Act of 1881, whereby the company is or was bound to reduce rates when its net earnings should exceed 10 per cent. of the capital expenditure upon the railway.

As against this it was pointed that by the act of 1897, when the company acquired the Crow's Nest Pass franchise, the C. P. R. was pledged to submit to the jurisdiction of the board of railway commissioners, then in contemplation, and that the company had been under the jurisdiction of the board as to rates ever since the formation of the board, the same as other railways. Therefore, it was argued, redress of such grievances as Mr. Maclean complained it was a function of the board and not of parliament.

The amendment was defeated, only one member standing up with Mr. Maclean to demand the "yeas and nays."

BANK'S FAILURE INJURES MANY

Creditors And Shareholders Of Farmers Bank Hold Meetings To Discuss Situation Caused By Wreck

STORY OF DEAL FOR KEELEY MINE

Warrants Issued For Two More Men Accused Of Connection With Affair—Dr. Nesbitt Still In Hiding

TORONTO, Jan. 17.—Two important meetings were held today in connection with the Farmers' Bank failure. In the morning the creditors assembled and after hearing curator Clarkson's statement of the bank's affairs nominated Mr. Clarkson as permanent liquidator.

A petition was forwarded to the Dominion government praying for a royal commission to investigate the bank's collapse, and a resolution will be passed approving of government inspection of all banks.

Mr. Burgundy, a Halton county farmer, who is one of the directors, declared that the Keeley mine deal was put through by Mr. Travers without his knowledge. In the course of his statement, Mr. Clarkson expressed his opinion that the directors had been unfit to serve because of their inexperience.

There were about 75 creditors present but many of them represented whole neighborhoods.

The shareholders' meeting in the afternoon was largely a repetition of that in the morning. Mr. Clarkson repeated his statement, and was nominated as permanent liquidator, while a number of signatures were added to the petition for a royal commission of enquiry.

A majority of the shareholders seemed to be in favor of holding and operating the Keeley mine in the hope that it will yield enough to pay a large proportion of the bank's liabilities.

In addition to the warrant for Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, warrants are also out for John Lindsay, who was associated with Travers in securing subscriptions for the bank stock, and for Wishart, the New York man who undertook to interest American and English capital in the Keeley mine, but who failed to do so, thus tempting Travers to use the bank's funds for purpose of getting control of the mine. Wishart holds $200,000 of the mine's stock, although it is said he put little or no money into the scheme.

Dr. Nesbitt's whereabouts are yet unknown. It is reported that the detective's trip to Muskoka was a wild goose chase, and that the fugitive was not there at all last week. He is reported to have been seen in Toronto on Saturday and later in Buffalo.

Alberta Farmers

CALGARY, Jan. 17.—At the afternoon session of the farmers' convention of Alberta addresses were read showing the association to be in a healthy condition. In the course of his morning address Hon. Duncan Marshall came out strong for reciprocity. "Reduction of tariffs would go further than anything else to secure fair and equal prices to the farmers," he stated. In the course of his address President Bowers, after referring to the Ottawa trip, said that better trade relations with British Columbia are necessary, as it is the natural outlet for the products of the Alberta farmer. The reports showed that the associations had 216 unions.

REGULATION OF MOTOR TRAFFIC

Promised Provincial Legislation Will Afford Adequate Protection To Life And Safeguards Against Carelessness

The promised regulation of British Columbia for the regulation of automobile traffic throughout the province, with a view to affording more adequate protection against accidents through careless or incompetent driving, or through indefinite rules of the road especially applicable to motor vehicles, was introduced in the legislature yesterday by its author, Attorney General Bowser, and proves to be very much on the lines of the Pennsylvania legislation in the same behalf. The bill is No. 7 on the order paper, and is known shortly as the Motor Traffic Regulation Act of 1911. In its preparation the automobile laws of New York, of California, and of various American states, as well as those of Great Britain and the eastern provinces of Canada have received careful consideration, and it is believed that in the completed result as offered to the House a thoroughly practical measure in the public interest is presented—and one which will bear unjustly on no interest or individual.

Preliminarily it may be noted that the responsibility for the enforcement of the new law is vested in the Superintendent of Provincial Police and his subordinates, that all motor vehicles used in British Columbia must be registered and licensed, that licenses shall be terminable with the year's end, and that tourists must hereafter obtain special licenses—which shall be valid for thirty days—after depositing with the superintendent or any provincial constable a form describing the machine in detail, giving the owner's name and address, the number of the machine at its place of registration, the name of the chauffeur, etc. No one is to be permitted to use a motor within the province, for however brief a period, until the form of securing such temporary license has been complied with.

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Typhoid in Ottawa

OTTAWA, Jan. 17.—Capital is threatened with serious outbreak of typhoid, there being at present thirty-six cases in city hospitals. Outbreak is attributed to contaminated water supply.

PLAGUE INSIDE THE GREAT WALL

Chinese Officials Take Belated Action With View To Checking Its Ravages — Many Deaths In Manchuria

PEKIN, Jan. 17.—Deaths from bubonic plague at Chin Wan Tao and other places inside the great wall are causing officials to prepare against further approach of the epidemic. The doctors say the wall would have been an effective barrier had it been quarantined in time. The legations are gathering supplies for a siege, and are endeavoring to sever communication with all plague spots. The Chinese are co-operating with others in the affected districts and retaining only a normal control. They requested the Russian authorities to stop the trains out of Harbin, but this the Russians refused to do. It is planned to close the gates of the legation quarter should the disease reach Peking. The European residents, with the exception of the missionaries, are arranging to come inside the legation limits.

Increasing in Manchuria.

MUKDEN, Manchuria, Jan. 17.—Fatalities from bubonic plague throughout Manchuria at the end of last week totalled 1,752. The number of fatalities is increasing rapidly, and the average daily now is in the hundreds. Of the daily dead reported up to Sunday all were Chinese except 19, of whom 18 were Russians and the other a Frenchman.

CANADA'S ACTION CAUSES SURPRISE

Queensland Members Anxious For Continuance Of Old Arrangement—Land Tax Law To Be Tested

MELBOURNE, Jan. 17.—The prompt action of Canada in regard to the arrangements for a trans-Pacific mail service has taken many members of the federal house by surprise. The Queensland members especially are anxious to continue the advantages which the present service secures for Brisbane, and now that Canada has decided to withdraw from any scheme of direct communication with the Commonwealth the feeling is generally expressed that a final effort ought to be made for an agreement of some kind. The Queensland members are, therefore, urging the postmaster-general to arrange a service between Vancouver, Brisbane, Sydney and probably Melbourne.

The validity of the federal land tax, which has aroused great opposition since it was passed into law, will be tested in the law courts. The opponents of the tax assert that it is ultra vires and should never have been passed.

The convicts who escaped from Darlinghurst prison have been recaptured. They were located in a house in Sydney, whither they had fled after they had made good their escape. The mother of one of them sheltered the man. When police detectives surrounded the house in pursuit of their quarry the convicts fought fiercely for their liberty, but were at last overpowered and placed in custody.

The steamer Time has been wrecked on the coast of South Australia near Beachport. All on board were saved.

THE DEBATE CONTINUES

Following Mr. Brewster, The Liberal Leader, Premier McBride Is Heard In A Lengthy Reply

GOVERNMENT'S LAND POLICY

Provincial Leader Outlines The Course Of Government Regarding Land Settlement—Legislation Introduced

Yesterday's sitting of the Provincial Legislature witnessed the continuance of the debate upon his Honor's Speech by the Liberal leader, Mr. Brewster, and the Premier, the entire afternoon virtually being occupied with their respective addresses. Mr. Brewster acquitted himself very creditably in his natural criticism, speaking with moderation and dignity—certainly with no violation of the decencies of debate such as marred the preceding day's debate. Mr. Tisdall has the floor when the debate is resumed this afternoon, and may be expected to give one of those concise, clear-cut business addresses for which he has won an enviable reputation.

In addition to consideration of the Speech yesterday, several measures were introduced, inclusive of the Provincial Secretary's series to which reference has already been made—the University bills, the bill providing for the safeguarding of the health of men employed in logging and construction camps, and the bill for the amendment of the Civil Service Act.

Attorney General Bowser also introduced his measure for the regulation of automobile traffic throughout the Province.

Petitions were received from the promoters of the Grouse Mountain scenic railway, the Victoria Stock Exchange, the Municipality of Oak Bay, and the Crow's Nest and Northern Railway Co. The report of the Chief Commissioner of Lands regarding the creation of the Strathcona Provincial Park was presented by Hon. Mr. Ross, and certain papers relating to the selection of the University site, by Hon. Dr. Young.

Leader of Opposition.

The member for Alberni's contribution to the debate was characterised by temperateness, and while in his province as leader of the opposition, it was necessary for him to attack the government policy on several points he did so without acrimony or rancour. His utterances were listened to with close attention, and though he failed to bring forward any new matter of criticism which might have made political capital for his party, he in no way detracted from that dignity which is essentially characteristic of the debate on the speech from the throne. Perhaps the principal point which he made was in expressing regret that there was no allusion in the speech of any intended action on the part of the government in the matter of land settlement. In this connection he attacked the present law, which he alleged encouraged speculators to the exclusion of genuine immigrants. The Government should, he said, adopt a plank out of the liberal policy in this matter and see that "the land was for the people; and the people on the land." The present land policy, if pursued, would eventualy lead to the unseating of the conservative government.

In opening Mr. H. C. Brewster congratulated the mover and seconder on the manner in which they had acquitted themselves. His congratulations further extended to the new minister of lands, and to the honorable the president of the council.

Continuing, he referred to the death of the illustrious King Edward. It was not in his power to pay a fitting tribute to that great man. His feelings were those of all loyal Canadians. In his death the British Empire had lost one of its greatest rulers. In his successor to the throne there were evidences that he would follow in the lines of his illustrious father. He possessed in large measure his ability and his subjects throughout the length and breadth of his Dominions looked forward to his reign with sanguine feelings.

The house would recollect that the Coronation took place next summer and at this important function he understood that the honorable, the first minister and the honorable the attorney general would be present. He hoped if he were spared to attend another session of the house he would have an opportunity of extending congratulations to Sir Richard McBride.

The speaker next dealt with the death of Captain Tatlow. He was a man of whom he could only speak favorably. He had been in every way an honorable opponent, and had earned the respect of everyone with whom he came in contact.

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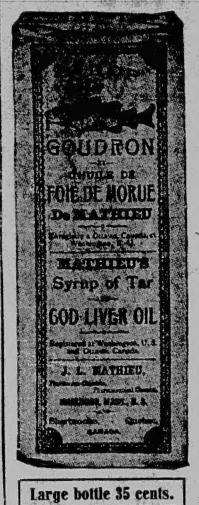
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THE DEBATE CONTINUES

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Songhees Reserve.

The first tangible question of policy in the speech upon which Mr. Brewster touched was the Songhees reserve question. He could not but congratulate the government in its action. The reserve had long been an eyesore and he was very glad to see that the whole problem was about to be swept away. Not only Victoria, but the entire southern half of Vancouver Island would benefit thereby

Another peculiar incident in connection with the settlement was the fact that the local members of the legislature seemed to have taken no part in the negotiations. They had been conspicuous by their absence, or rather by their lack of interest. One of these members had been self exiled from the city, possibly said Mr. Brewster, lest he should be called upon to redeem a certain pledge which he had made in connection with the construction of the Canadian Northern Railway on the Island. It was strange that a question so important, and of such a vital character to the people of Victoria should have been carried on without the assistance of the members who sat for this city.

Railway Policy.

In the matter of the railway policy of the government, Mr. Brewster expressed his satisfaction at the knowledge that active construction work had been commenced by the Canadian Northern Railway. But while this work was going on on the mainland, there was silence regarding that portion of the undertaking which referred to Vancouver Island. When the question of entering into an agreement with the Canadian Northern Railway Company had come before the house he had fought the policy. He had considered it was not comprehensive enough; that it was not fitting to the needs of the country. He still thought so. His belief in this respect was in a measure sustained by utterances of the honorable member for Kamloops, who had pointed out the need for more railways in the northern part of the province. That need was exactly one which the liberal party had drawn attention to in the last provincial campaign. He personally was unable to see why the honorable the premier could not see his way to open up the country by means of other railways which would traverse portions where transportation was much needed.

Speaking of the island section of the Canadian Northern he alluded to the change of route. This could not fail to benefit his own constituency, but in spite of this fact he believed that the policy of not adhering to original intentions and promises was a bad one. It was his duty, however, to make the best of a bad business. On behalf of his constituency he must ask the Hon. the Premier to implement the promises he had made prior to the last election and see that the construction of this island road was commenced.

Island Road

"I want to point out," he said, where in British Columbia, there is a difference between political and personal honesty." He alluded to the premier's pledge to resign if construction was not undertaken within three months after the contract between the government and the railway company was ratified by parliament. The people of Victoria had been buncoed in railway matters before. That was the reason that the premier had come out with such a strong statement, and to show that he meant what he said, in a subsequent speech at the Victoria theatre he had gone even further, and said: "I will carry out to the letter everything that I have promised." Today he wished to ask the Hon. the Premier to explain to the house and to the people of Vancouver island how he had carried out his pledge. The other members for this city had been equally in earnest in the pledges they had made. The matter was one of a great deal of importance. There was something of more importance to the youth of the province than even railroad building. That was the inculcation of honesty into public politics. He would ask the premier if his successors in that house would look up to him as an example because he had broken away from a solemn pledge. He personally believed that the people would point to him as a successful premier, who did not have to live up to his promises.

Continuing to deal with the railway policy the speaker drew attention to the fact that the government had to pay large sums to keep the Victoria and Sidney and Kaslo and Slocan railways in operation, and he believed that the same condition would make itself apparent when the Canadian Northern was running through the province. He further knew of many settlers who had nothing but fault to find with the bargain which the government had made with the E. & N. railway. He believed that the time would come when the people of the province would have nothing that was not bad to say of the bargain made between the government and the Canadian Northern.

Mr. Brewster had nothing but praise for the excellent showing made by the provincial government's fruit exhibit in the old land. The prizes taken, he said, showed what could be done, and the Hon. the Minister of Agriculture deserved credit for the work which had been undertaken.

Mining Disasters

Mr. Brewster gave some attention to the number of deaths which were taking place through mining disasters. This destruction of life he characterised as one of the saddest features in the record of the past year. He would ask the premier to go into this matter, thoroughly to look at it from every standpoint, to pass sound and wise legislation, which would safeguard the lives of those who were working underground. Another phase of the mining industry with which he dealt was that known as "wild catting." In speaking of this phase he quoted instances on the west coast of Vancouver island where people purchasing stock had lost their money, and the coast generally had got a black eye. It was time, he considered, that the minister of mines should regulate this system of "wild catting," which was such an insidious factor in the development of the province.

The university site commission, the speaker termed merely a method of the government's to sidestep its own responsibility. It had proved a wise political move. But there had been some points which called for investigation in connection with the commission's report. He alluded to the interim report, which he understood had been handed to the provincial secretary. This report had been handed back to the commission it being stated that owing to local jealousies the government would prefer not to receive a report until the commission had reached its final findings. Then the attorney-general speaking to his constituents in Ward Five in Vancouver had said just prior to the publication of the commission's report: "I do not know if we promised you a university; I believe we did. Whether we shall redeem our promise will soon be known." It is now the duty of the attorney-general and the first minister to explain to the people of the province what was meant by this utterance. A very thorough explanation should be forthcoming of the manner in which this matter of choosing the site was undertaken. Feeling ran high over this question in Victoria; feeling ran high also in this city over the non-fulfilment of the government's promise regarding the commencement of construction of the island section of the Canadian Northern. He believed that it was on account of these two reasons that the government had got busy and settled the Songhees reserve question.

Public Buildings.

The policy of providing additions to the parliament building was a wise one. The present buildings were not of a sufficient size to meet administrative requirements. But he would ask that the government would further build appropriate buildings for courts of justice in this city. In his opinion these should be situated on the parliament square. There was no province which he knew which exacted such high fees and gave such a poor service as the province of British Columbia, and this was especially so in Victoria. The vaults in the local offices were not safe. They contained valuable papers which were liable to be lost through fire or burglary.

Land Policy.

Mr Brewster dwelt at considerable length with the land policy of the government. For years he said the Liberal party had been endeavoring to hammer into the heads of the government of British Columbia the necessity of an extensive land policy. This was a question on which he believed that the government would eventually meet its Waterloo. He alluded to the number of speculators who had taken up lands. These lands he said had been taken up simultaneously with the advent of the explorer and the prospector. The actual spirit of the land act was being defeated in this province today. He instanced the case of a man of whom he head heard just waiting until he could get 400 names when he intended to take up 300,000 acres of land, which would be purchased by English capital at $2.50 per acre. The names were got here, in Vancouver, in Seattle, any place, and those who lent their names were perhaps paid 50c. for the privilege, and possibly a drink might be thrown in to make the bargain more agreeable. The recent Conservative convention held at Nelson had passed a resolution strongly urging the government to adopt a strenuous land policy. The Victoria board of trade—a body of representative men—had also passed a resolution (which the speaker read) asking the government to take this matter in hand. One would have thought that after the resolution passed by the Conservative convention there would have been some mention of a land policy in the speech from the throne but none such appeared.

The spirit of the speculator, said the speaker, was entirely opposed to actual settlement. The speculator got the land at from $2.50 to $5 an acre, and sold it at from $10 to $15 per acre. If the policy of the government was to enrich the treasury by the sale of its lands then surely the sanest thing that it could do would be to go into the land business itself along the lines of the colonization companies. The government's present land policy he believed would never thrive. The one which should be adopted was that advanced by the Liberal party of the province: "The land for the people, and the people on the land." The land should be husbanded for the building up of agriculture. This province was the richest in Canada in her mines, her timber and her agricultural resources, but of these three agriculture was the foundation of prosperity. There should be no land given to settlers except on conditions of permanent residence and cultivation. The people were bound to come in but it was for the government to see that when they came in there should not be barriers erected against them in the matter of obtaining land. In Alberni there was less actual farming going on now than two years ago, and the reason of this was because speculators had come in, bought up the land, and were awaiting the advent of a railroad when they would be able to sell at a profit.

He went on to deal with the government assessment on improvements carried out on agricultural lands. That he characterized as another deterrent to settlers. Was it not now time for the government to come forward and exempt improvements on agricultural lands from taxation.

Another matter said Mr. Brewster which deterred settlers from coming in was the workings of the school act in isolated districts. Settlers in the outside districts had to some in closer to civilization in order to find schools for their children. Instead of the government placing a burden on each little district for school purposes why did it not add so many mills to the assessment and then decide that in each district where there were a certain number of children a school should be provided. He instanced the Alberni district as being retarded owing to the lack of school facilities.

"Everywhere," said Mr. Brewster, in conclusion, "there has been one great note struck during the year just passed. That is the awakening of democracy. Everywhere they are demanding their right not to be governed by the few, but the right to govern themselves." He alluded in this respect to the recent vote in the Victoria municipal election, where a plebiscite decided that the license and police commissioners should be elected by popular choice. Victoria, he said, in this action, had endorsed what was a plank in the last Liberal campaign in British Columbia. The time was coming when the premier would be asked: "Why did you create a land aristocracy?" The time was coming when the spirit of democracy would stand at the door of the parliament buildings and demand of the government an excuse for its existence after it had wasted the people's heritage.

The Premier

The premier on rising was greeted with hearty applause. In opening he complimented the members for Kamloops and Comox on the ability with which they had moved, and seconded the address.

"With regard to the criticism which comes from those who do not see eye to eye with us," he said, "we fully appreciate the respective positions of the member for Newcastle and the member for Alberni. I have heard many addresses from my friend from Newcastle on subjects with which he had some familiarity, and from my knowledge of him I cannot say that on this occasion he has acquitted himself with his usual old-time fairness. It is true that at any rate in his opening observations, he failed as a member of this parliament, and as a subject of His Majesty the King to recognise the great loss to the country in the death of King Edward VII., a loss which the life of that illuustrious monarch would quite justify. I don't think I am mistaken when I say that in no section of the Empire is there an assembly more loyal to the flag or more respectful to the constitution than this legislative assembly of British Columbia and the people of this province. Applause.) The death of King Edward was undoubtedly recognised not alone within the Empire, but throughout the whole world as a very great loss to humanity. We who lived under his wise and beneficent rule had learned to love him not only as a constitutional monarch, but as a most humane citizen. Even those who were not privileged to enjoy the advantages of British citizenship looked upon his as a great lover of peace, and one who would go to any constitutional length to secure peace before war.

"In his son, King George, there can be no question that in the few months that have elapsed since King Edward died, he has shown that we have a monarch who in every respect will live up to the high example of his illustrious father, and will stand for the continuance of those British institutions and liberties we have enjoyed for generations past.

The Mines Department

"The member for Newcastle was unduly severe in his references to myself and the department of mines. I would naturally expect that as one who had for some years engaged in coal mining in British Columbia we should look to him for some counsel and advice, and I venture to say that when the new Coal Mines Regulations Act is brought down we ought to have the good fortune to enjoy his approval and assistance. But I cannot claim that we can anticipate any support of that kind, because in his remarks yesterday he strained himself in condemning not only myself and the personnel of the department of mines, but also reflected on the efficiency of the inspectors of mines in British Columbia. I can well understand that my friend, professing as he does Socialistic principles, could not fail to speak of us in extreme terms, but I am quite satisfied that if he would measure his statement with more regard for moderation, with more regard for what is true, he might in the end find more acceptance even from his own followers than he may if he continues in the attitude he has already adopted in this debate.

"I have already said that it is not fair, that unless a member has some specific complaint against an official of the civil service he should not make a general charge. I repeat that it has been our attempt to so perfect the personnel of the civil service in this province that when it is complete we shall have a civil service that would do credit to any country. Following the report of the commission we appointed to inquire into the working of the civil service, we are trying to place it on a basis above all party interests, and on a plane comparable with that of the mother country. That is the course we have been encouraged to follow, not only in this house, but in the country at large. We propose to live up to the spirit of the act, and have a civil service creditable to this province, but if we would do so we must in this house pay that respect to the civil service to which it is entitled, and therefore I think that this practice of making general, instead of specific charges, is one that should be discouraged. If my honorable friend has any specific charges to make against Mr. Shepherd, the chief inspector of mines, I can promise him an investigation that shall be in every respect impartial, and if the result of that investigation should show that Mr. Shepherd is not a fit man for that position, it will be my duty and that of this house to see that some suitable man is chosen to fill his place; but if it should prove that he is well fitted for the position, it is too bad that my friend from Newcastle should spread a rumor abroad, with all the solemnity that attaches to utterances in this house, that Mr. Shepherd is not fitted for his duties. I have always found Mr. Shepherd to be a man who has not spared himself to give time and attention to his duties, and who has at all times proved equal to his task. As to his assistants, not one of them has been appointed because of political allegiance, and the same remark applies to Mr. Shepherd himself. Before he was appointed all the applications were referred to the mineralogist of the province, and Mr. Shepherd was appointed on the unbiased advice of Mr. Robertson. His assistants have been drawn from a list of successful candidates who have graduated under my department, and no political scruples have influenced their choice.

Accident at Bellevue

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NELSON, Jan. 17.—Twenty miles of steel on the Kettle Valley Railway will be laid by the end of the month. Tracklaying is going along from both ends of the route between Midway and Merritt. Work commenced at Midway this week and has made good progress. A big track-laying machine is being operated with a large force of men, and under favorable conditions the ten miles of steel to Rock Creek will be completed before the first of January. The machine will lay a mile of steel a day, but the severe weather of the past week has retarded progress. At the Merritt end of the Kettle Valley line seven miles is already laid, and the other three miles of the ten-mile section will be competed in another week. In the meantime clearing and further construction goes on apace, so that it is expected an effort will be made to rush to completion the short-cut, Boundary-Coast railroad link.

STRIKE PROPOSALS

United Mine Workers To Vote On Two Resolutions Covering Parts Of Pennsylvania And Colorado

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 17.—Resolutions calling for a general strike of all miners in the Iron coalfields of Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, and a general strike of United Mine Workers in Colorado, will be the first important business to come before the convention of the United Mine Workers of America at Memorial Hall. They will be presented by the delegates for a vote either tomorrow or Thursday by Phillip Veni, of the Belleville, Illinois, district. Among other resolutions to be introduced in the convention is one to demand the immediate release of Preston and Smith, who are serving terms in the Nevada penitentiary for picketing.

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BIG EXPENDITURE ON SEWER SYSTEM

Ratepayers Will Probably Be Asked To Vote Quarter Of A Million Dollars For Adequate Drainage

Preliminary surveys and plans for a huge addition to the city's sewer system are now being prepared by the city engineer's staff, and within a month or two the council will be considering one of the largest projects it has had come before it. If the scheme be carried out in its entirety it will call for the expenditure of a sum not less than $250,000, and probably more.

The rapid growth of the city, particularly in the outskirts, where to date no sewer service has been given or, at the most, a very limited one, makes it imperative that increased sewer service be given. The more so if the present excellent health conditions in the city are to be maintained.

For the past two years the city council has been unable to meet the demands of property owners for sewer service. Frequent loans have been made, but always there was a large amount of work left undone when the money became exhausted. This piecemeal system of sewer extension has served more or less up to the present, but with the growth of the city some more heroic measures must be taken to cope with the situation.

Large Scheme Proposed

The city engineer last October suggested some large scheme to bring the city up-to-date in the matter of drainage, but nothing was done by the then council. Now the matter will again come up for consideration. Alderman Moresby, chairman of the sewers committee, a committee consisting of one —himself—is taking a keen interest in the problem as he believes that next to a good supply of water an adequate drainage system is one of Victoria's most pressing needs.

The area in which the principal extensions will be undertaken is that lying north of Edmonton road and east of Quadra street, an area comprising the whole of the northeastern section of the city, including the Smith's Hill section. A main sewer will be constructed to run southeasterly past the rear of the Isolation hospital and emptying into Oak Bay. Laterals will drain the whole section into this main trunk sewer. In Victoria West the Indian reserve, when the question is settled, Burleith and other sections must be sewered, and also that portion of the city lying along the Gorge road northeast of the Arm. Then there are numerous extensions in James Bay and other portions of the city.

In addition the surface drain system must be extended in the above portions, while in many sections of the city it has been the practice to drain surface water into sewers, a practice which is not supposed to be followed. If the council approves of the scheme a by-law will be placed before the ratepayers for the purpose of raising the necessary funds.

THE DEBATE CONTINUES

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British Columbia in having such a man as Mr. Shepherd as Chief Inspector of Mines. Only a few days ago when that awful accident happened at Bellevue, no time was lost by our officials in hastening to the scene and rendering the most efficient aid in saving life, nor have the press or the people of Kootenay been sparing in their praise of those efforts. I appeal to the fairness of my friend from Newcastle, that if he wishes the people of this country to listen to advice from his lips, he should say something in recognition of the bravery of these men. I may say in regard to Mr. Shepherd and his assistants, that the Province of British Columbia today is perhaps in advance of all the other provinces in securing the most up-to-date life saving equipment. We have installed the Draeger apparatus in all coal mines in British Columbia and have also taken steps to have each station equipped with men with the training and skill necessary should they be called upon to use the apparatus."

Mr. Williams: "I would like to ask the Premier if he is aware of the attitude the Chief Inspector took a year ago on this very apparatus. Is he aware that he opposed it?"

Hon. Mr. McBride: "In answer to my friend I may say that when it was first suggested that the Draeger life saving apparatus should be secured there was some question as to whether this apparatus would best serve the purpose for which it was intended, but there was never any opposition on the part of the officials of the department to the purchase of the most up-to-date apparatus for saving life."

Mr. Williams said that this did not meet his contention, which was that last year when he had called the attention of the Inspector of coal mines to the necessity for inserting something in the Act to compel mining companies to instal the life-saving apparatus he (the Inspector) had opposed it. He (Mr. Williams) had told him that whether it were inserted or not, he would find some means of inserting it. Within 24 hours the bill was withdrawn and a bill providing for this apparatus introduced. The trouble was there was too much politics in the department and—

The Speaker: "I would remind the honorable member that he has already spoken."

The Premier said he was always glad to give his friend credit for any assistance he had accorded the Department with reference to the Coal Mines Act, and when the bill came before the House he hoped for his consideration on it. In regard to what may have passed between his friend and the officials, he was not in a position to speak, but he did know that it was the settled policy of the Department to secure the most up-to-date life saving apparatus, and for this reason thousands of dollars have been spent in securing the Draeger equipment.

"My friend from Newcastle also had had a fling at my deputy, Mr. Tolmie, who has been upwards of thirty years in the service of the Province, and in every capacity he has been called upon to fill he has proved an efficient civil servant. He may not be an expert in matters pertaining to coal mines, but I venture to say that the permanent head of my department in any matter requiring attention would lose no time before acting. I regret that I have addressed myself at such length to this question, but considering the great importance attaching to the offices of the Deputy Minister and the Chief Inspector of Mines, I may have been justified. With regard to the other criticisms of my friend from Newcastle I do not think I need detain the House at any length. He simply criticised us severely for all the public business we have attempted. Those who have sat in the House with the honorable gentleman for a number of years know how difficult it would be for any Government to satisfy his criticisms. I regret that in his first speech in this session he has fallen so far below the reputation which for many sessions past he has sustained.

The Liberal Criticism

"Now with regard to the Member for Alberni, the Leader of the Liberal party in this House: I congratulate him on his address this afternoon. I can well understand that, situated as he is it must be a most difficult task that faces him in meeting the House at every session with no following in the Province and none in the Legislature, but I do think he deserves considerable credit for his attempt this afternoon. He is expected as leader of the Liberal party to find fault with everything that this Government attempts. There is nothing we can do that can meet the fancy of the Liberals. He closed his speech this afternoon with some reference to the great democracy, and what we must expect from the march of humanity in this Province and the conditions which we must presently meet. Well, if there is any organization in British Columbia that recognizes the potency of democracy it is the Government of British Columbia. This Government has always tried to be familiar with their needs, and well up with the advancement of their country. There is no better proof of this than the remarkable record that within the past six years it has appealed to the electors of the country not fewer than three times in order to discover whether the people approve of its policy. I do not believe that the political records of Canada will disclose a case similar to that. Whenever we felt there was any reason to appeal to the people of the country we did so. That is a sufficient answer to my friend from Alberni, and I may follow it with the further remark that the government is always ready, when necessary, to go to the electors of the country. We have nothing to fear from the democracy of British Columbia.

British Columbia, and in the future we shall be ready, as in the past, to leave our fate in the hands of that responsible body.

Railway Policy

"My friend has troubled me and my colleagues from Victoria with a great deal of criticism we have often heard in the past with regard to our dealings with the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Company. I know that there is a section of people in this country who would hail with delight any calamity to the Canadian Northern, and I am glad I can inform you today that the Canadian Northern is making good progress with its plans, not only on the mainland of British Columbia, but also on Vancouver Island. You can well understand that to construct a transcontinental railway through the mountains of British Columbia is a gigantic task. If you look back through the Hansard of the Canadian House of Commons about thirty years ago, when the C.P.R. was under discussion, you will find that many a law-leading statesman looked with alarm on the proposal to build a line of standard railway through these mountains to the Pacific Ocean. It was said from the point of view of engineering alone it was a gigantic and Herculean task. Surely the honorable gentleman opposite must agree with me that the same physical difficulties obtain today, and he must admit also that the building of a railway from Victoria to the northern part of Vancouver Island is equally as difficult as building the C. P.R. thirty years ago. They must admit that the building through British Columbia of a standard road of easy gradience is a gigantic task, and consistently with the importance of the undertaking, the Canadian Northern must be built for permanence and advancement. My honorable friend has accused me that during the elections of 1909 an undertaking was made by me that construction would be started within three months after the signing of the agreement, and after the explanation I am going to make I think you will agree with me that I have lived up to that undertaking in letter as well as in spirit. It was agreed that this line (the Victoria to Barkley Sound), as originally planned, must have gradients much heavier than on the main line. The E. & N. is compelled to haul its tonnage over gradients exceeding two percent., but it is controlled by a great corporation with connections that will permit of its continuing to haul passengers and freight over these grades at a profit. The Canadian Northern is a new road so far. It has not yet extended its march to the extreme east or to the extreme west. We have recognized its standing by the large tracts we have given it in order that it may extend its main line to the Pacific coast. In arranging for this grant, we must be consistent in our course: we must be very careful that this road shall enjoy every advantage that engineering skill can give, and there is no advantage from which it can reap so much benefit as from a low and easy grade, and engineers in charge must see to it that the very easiest gradients that the configuration of the country will permit are arranged. So it was particularly with a view to securing the easiest possible grade that the government extended to the company every possible advantage. Now it has been demonstrated by the engineers that it would not be possible to build the railway on the west coast of Vancouver Island with an easy grade, but it would be possible to build with an easy grade by Sooke and Cowichan Lake to Alberni. It is true that if I had fallen in with the views of the member for Alberni, it would have been an easy matter to arrange for building a mile or two, but I had no wish to quibble in this matter. I desired only to secure the very best route and the most profitable line, and one that when completed would be a credit to this province.

Costly Surveys

I am sure that the hon. gentleman from Alberni, who reads the Colonist (and I hope he will profit by his reading), must know of those surveys which have been very costly, and he must know also of the desire of this government to make the road as profitable and serviceable as possible, and this has accounted for any delay. I am glad to say now that the surveys for the first 25 or 30 miles have been finally passed, and the preliminaries for the construction of the grade have about been completed. The hon. gentleman can feel quite satisfied that within a very short space of time he will see the enterprise under way, and I don't think it is extravagant to expect that for the portion on Vancouver Island, we shall see the whole line completed within two and a half or three years.

It does seem amusing to see my friend cavil at such an undertaking as the Canadian Northern Pacific railway, and to see how he is satisfied with all that has been done in connection with the Grand Trunk Pacific for the past few years. That road was to have been completed this year, and yet my friend knows that it is yet probably five years from completion. I do not know how he can reconcile his criticism of me with his attitude towards his own great leader in Ottawa. Talk about broken pledges, the records of the dealings of the G. T. P. with the government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier are full of incidents where the G. T. P. has failed to fulfil its undertakings. With regard to the Canadian Northern I do hope that within another four years the government will be able to show a record of which it may be proud. Contracts for the coast section have already been let, and are under way, and the management expect that engines will be running over the line by the fall of this year. It is now proposed to let contracts for the Kamloops section, and up the North Thompson valley, so that it is likely that within the present year all the contracts for grading will be let, and there is every prospect that no disappointment will be experienced by the people within the next four years with regard to the bargain with the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway Company. Since that bargain was made there has been a different atmosphere in the business of the province. Money has been spent, and work has been done, and never before was shown such faith in the province, such enterprise, such hope as since the Canadian Northern Railway Company entered British Columbia. (Applause.)

Collieries Purchase

My friend from Newcastle found fault with Mackenzie & Mann for purchasing the Dunsmuir coal mines. What harm was there in that? They are shrewd business men, and knowing a good property when they saw it, they secured it. And it is satisfactory to know that since they have done so their management is most satisfactory, and there is every evidence of the best of feeling between th owners and their employees. More than that it is the intention of the new owners to increase the output threefold, thereby increasing the number of employees and adding to the revenue of British Columbia. I think it is very gratifying to us that we have been able to induce Mackenzie & Mann to come into this province, as men who will be able to do so much for its development.

The premier continued that some doubt has been expressed as to whether there would be sufficient business for the Canadian Northern when it was built. They had seen the enormous traffic that now went over the lines of the C. P. R., though it was said at one time that the C. P. R. did not have enough traffic in British Columbia to pay expenses. Today they were putting in more lines, more rolling stock and more spurs, and still the C. P. R. was not equal to the traffic offering in British Columbia, and by the time the Canadian Northern was completed there should be more than enough for both lines. The principle inducement which had urged the government to bring in the Canadian Northern was to secure some competition with the C. P. R. Not that they desired to be destructive or to injure that great road which had been of such great service to Canada, but the government had determined to have a competing line for business purposes or to go down and out of office. Within four years the Canadian Northern system should have 12,000 miles of railway, with a splendid Atlantic steamship service attached. The ability of the two men who had originated and dominated this great system had been recognized by His Majesty the King, who had conferred on both the honor of knighthood. The leaders of the Empire had looked on them as men worthy of distinction, and it showed that the confidence reposed in them as businessmen had not been mistaken.

Registry Offices

Replying to Mr. Brewster's criticism of the delays in the registry offices of the province, the premier said it was true there had been complaints about the length of time it took to secure documents from the registry offices, but when one took into account the immense advance in the business of transfers in this province it was not to be wondered at. Moreover, the registry of titles was work that could not be accomplished in a hurry. It was a matter that took time even where assistance was ample. However, the attorney-general had appointed an inspector of registry offices, and since the efforts that had been made to keep up with the work a great many of the complaints had gone. If the honorable gentleman would be patient with the government for a little while longer he would find that they would restore the registry offices to their accustomed usefulness.

"I wish particularly," said the Premier," to address myself this afternoon with reference to what has been said on the land policy of the Government. Reference has been made to the resolution of the Conservative convention at Nelson. I am very glad that my friend from Alberni watches the work of the convention. It is an evidence of the activity of the Provincial Conservative association to find them asking the Government to give more time to the question under discussion. In addition to the Conservative convention I have had delegates from various commercial bodies address the Government on the same question. For my part I would not detract from that interest. I think it a most commendable thing to see political and commercial organizations taking such great interest in the settlement of the lands. It is by no means a new subject. I heard twelve years ago in this House debates on this subject. It was discussed yesterday by the member for Newcastle and today by the member for Alberni, and there will be for years to come agitation for more activity in connection with this problem. Even in the city of Winnipeg, where one would expect to find people satisfied with the land settlement we find no less an authority than Mr. William Whyte deploring that not more interest is taken in the back to the land question. In view of this it is neither a new nor surprising thing to find the same criticism here. Of course Manitoba differs from British Columbia. There problem of settlement is not difficult to work out. They have no mountain ranages to cross and no difficult road work. It is indeed a simple question to put down miles of railway, to bring in immigrants and to give them facilities for the sale of their product in the Fall. Here the problems for solution are entirely different from those of our neighbors in the East. We have heard repeatedly these criticisms of the land policy of the government, both in the House and on the hustings. And yet in spite of their repetition, the government whenever it has appealed to the country has invariably been endorsed. We have been sent back with larger and yet larger majorities in order that we may continue in the way we have began. This government is watching the question of settling the lands with suitable people, and it is a most gratifying fact that the rural population of British Columbia has doubled within the past five years. That is in itself a very specific as well as a very conclusive answer to the observations of my honorable friend. You would think to hear him that absolutely no results had come and that while the cities had been growing the rural districts had been neglected. But the rural population has doubled and promises to again double in the next five years. And if this continues we shall in a short time have millions in the rural parts of British Columbia, a most gratifying result when one considers the difficulties that have to be met with in settling this province.

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This regulation does not apply to condensed or classified advertisements, the closing hour for which is 9 p. m. sharp.

MR. McBRIDE'S PLEDGE

In reply to a criticism Mr. McBride spoke yesterday in the House in regard to the pledge of himself and his colleagues as to the beginning of construction upon the Canadian Northern Railway Company on Vancouver Island. There never was any doubt as to the nature of that pledge. It was as to the simultaneous beginning of construction on the Mainland and Island sections of the line. It is claimed that this pledge has not been kept. We have no desire, and we are sure that Mr. McBride and his colleagues in the representation of this city have no desire, to be relieved in the slightest degree of the obligation imposed upon them by that pledge, which has been kept both in the spirit and the letter. The Canadian Northern Pacific, to give the company its full title, complied with the provisions of its contract in that respect, and therefore Mr. McBride and the other Victoria members stand justified in their promise. As we pointed out in these columns months ago the beginning of construction was the beginning of the survey, for without a survey no line could have been built. Survey was preliminary to the actual work of road-building, and the surveys were begun, and have been diligently prosecuted until the present. The company has spent a large sum of money in securing the best possible location, and the time required to do this has been spent in the public interest. We have no hesitation in expressing regret that ground has not yet been broken, and that the construction of the road-bed is not yet in progress; but we are bound to admit that the importance of securing the best possible grade far outweighs the advantage that would have resulted from an earlier beginning on a less desirable line.

It will be said, it has been said, that this line of reasoning presupposes that the Canadian Northern entered upon the contract to build a railway on this Island without knowing fully what was before it. We find no difficulty in conceding this; on the contrary we think it is to the credit of the government that it was able to secure an agreement for a construction of a line from Victoria to Barkley Sound before the company had examined the route. The route to be followed on the Mainland was well known, and much of it had been surveyed. There was no doubt in the mind of any one where the mainland section of the road would go. It was to extend down the North Thompson, and the Thompson to the Fraser, and down the Fraser to the sea. It was to follow well-defined waterways, and there was not the least difficulty in sending out engineers to survey the actual line, for there was only one place where it could go. Care would have to be exercised in securing the best grades within a limited range of territory, but that was all. In the case of the Island, the whole question of location was an open one. Many persons, we think most persons, hoped that the line would follow the West Coast as far at least as Nitinat, and there is no doubt that, when Mr. Mann first discussed the subject in Victoria, that is the way he expected to build the line. When the country came to be considered from an engineering point of view, and when the line came to be regarded as the beginning of one that would extend to the northern extremity of the Island, it became necessary to choose some other route than that which was first contemplated. It is an open secret that the company would have preferred to have located their line along the Saanich Inlet; but Mr. McBride felt that this would not be in keeping with what the people of Victoria had been led to expect, and he called upon the company to select another route. This was not an easy matter, but one was at length found that will be satisfactory from every point of view. Detailed plans were at once made, and tenders were asked for. That is the position in which the case stands today as far as we have been able to ascertain. Different reports have been sent out as to the successful tenderers, but at the offices of the company here no information appears to be available. The delay in making known who will build the first section cannot now be great. Such are the simple facts of the case. Not a day has been lost so far as the government is concerned. Everything has been done that, humanly speaking, could have been done by the government to meet the expectations of the people, and the fact that ground has not yet been broken is not the fault of the government, nor can it justly be considered as a failure on the part of Mr. McBride and his colleagues from the city to keep their pledge to the electorate.

THE PUBLIC LANDS

Mr. Brewster, as a critic of the operation of the land laws of British Columbia, is not logical. He assured the legislature that the result of conditions now existing would be that the agricultural lands of the province would pass into the hands of speculators and that farmers would be excluded. His claim is that speculators will obtain, and in may cases have obtained, large areas of land at moderately low prices and will sell them for higher prices. We suppose that this will be the case. A very considerable area has passed into the hands of private owners, who have sold some of it to other individuals at an advanced price. This is in a sense speculation, for the original purchasers of the large areas take the risk of making money out of the transaction just as a merchant takes a risk when he buys a quantity of eggs. They buy land at wholesale, so to speak, and sell it at retail. Now who are the people who buy it at retail, that is, who are they from whom the speculator, if he is to be so called, makes his profit? They are people who buy the land in order to live upon it. No one thinks of buying the land second-hand for purposes of speculation. It is therefore to the interest of the "speculators" to get settlers on their land as soon as possible. We have in mind a case in point. A certain company has a very considerable area in the Nechaco valley and in that vicinity. They explored it; obtained detailed reports about it; sent their agents out to find purchasers, and they say that they have upwards of four hundred settlers ready to go upon that number of pieces of land just as soon as they can get there. This may be speculation; but if the operations of the company result in getting four hundred men at work making farms, we do not believe the average citizen will begrudge them a reasonable profit on their investment. Mr. Brewster's case breaks down when it comes to be examined in the cold light both of logic and of facts.

We are far from saying that something more might not be done than has yet been done by the government to promote the colonization of the farming sections. The difficulty which arises is to devise some practical plan. How would it do for the government to enter into a contract with private individuals to sell them areas under certain conditions as to settlement? It might be possible in this way to secure that degree of advertising and personal canvassing, which it is difficult to see that the government could be expected to provide. It seems to be settled that, if the pre-emption law is the only method by which we can look for the colonization of the land, a long time will elapse before very much can be accomplished. This is not a very satisfactory state of things, but there is no use pretending that it is not true. Can the government undertake to do what colonization companies, or if it sounds better, land companies do as a matter of business? We all know the difficulties attending anything of that kind; we all know that it involves responsibilities that the government, not simply the present provincial government, but any government, might hesitate to assume. We know that it would necessitate an outlay, which any government might find it difficult to justify unless, as we said yesterday, it is proposed to increase greatly the cost of land to the settler. Would it be regarded as expedient for the government to arrange with private individuals what it cannot very well undertake itself? This is a practical question and it calls for a practical answer. Let a possible case be stated. Let it be supposed that some one is prepared to purchase from the government an area at the price ordinarily paid by pre-emptors; let us suppose that such an area is sold on the condition that it will be settled within a certain fixed period, all unsettled lands to revert to the crown at the end of that period. Might not the government obtain in that way the rapid colonization of the country which we all so much desire? Possibly other conditions might be attached to the sale, but we are not discussing details today, but only a principle which possibly could be applied with advantage to the important question under discussion. As a contribution to the discussion of this subject we would be very glad if Mr. Brewster would take occasion during the session to express himself in regard to this. If it is not a good idea, he might tell what in his opinion would be a good one. There ought to be no politics in the consideration of a new line of policy, however one may feel like criticizing the government for the way the present land law has worked out. We repeat what we said yesterday. We would like to be able to hit upon some method of promoting the colonization of our farm land that we could urge upon the government.

The Canadian Pacific having declared a 10-per cent dividend, it now comes under the authority of the Railway Commission.

The declarations against reciprocity continue. The latest being from the Fort William Board of Trade. The protests do not appear to be offset by any demands for this measure.

Mr. Joseph Martin thinks Mr. Asquith the worst possible parliamentary leader except Mr. Balfour. When we recall Mr. Martin's parliamentary leadership in this Province, we are not impressed by this dictum as perhaps we ought to be.

The sinking of the German submarine and a telephone from the imprisoned crew stating that they were all well, but that the boat would have to be lifted with chains is a remarkable illustration of the progress of modern invention.

The proposal of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church in this city to erect a new structure for devotional purposes and work in connection therewith is one of the characteristic signs of the times. The thousands of friends of the Rev. Dr. Campbell will be glad to join with us on this occasion in an expression of appreciation of the great and noble work which he has done during his long charge of the First Presbyterian church.

The London Morning Post is under the impression that the negotiation of trade treaties by Canada will interfere with inter-imperial reciprocity. This may or may not be the case; but if it were likely to be, it would certainly seem unreasonable to ask the Dominion to mark time pending the possibility of any change in the fiscal policy of the United Kingdom. We do not believe that the effect of such treaties would necessarily be what the Post fears, that is if the Dominion government remains true to the principle of the British preferences. It ought not to be forgotten that so far as those commodities, that Britain can supply to Canada, are concerned, our trade treaties so far have very little effect one way or the other, and it is very unlikely that such measure of reciprocity with the United States as may be decided upon will prove prejudicial to the development of trade between Canada and the United Kingdom. At the same time we subscribe unhesitatingly to the idea that nothing ought to be done that will in any way interfere with the building up of inter-imperial trade. We do not hold with those who claim such trade to be essential to the permanence of the Empire, for we claim that there are others and stronger ties than those of commerce; but inter-imperial trade would develop a close community of interests and promote the prosperity of the whole Empire.

Lord Strathcona wants Canada to tak part in the coronation ceremonies. We can imagine the shock this will give to some of the officials who have charge of the ceremony. They will not be able to find any precedent for such a thing, and to the gentlemen, who have to do with ceremonial, precedent is law. This is not a matter with which the British ministry has anything to do. It is in the hands of the King, and we feel very sure that His Majesty will do his best to cut any Gordian knot of ceremonial that may be discovered. But the thing is not as easy to be arranged as seems at first sight. Certain forms have been observed for a very long time. Certain privileges have been enjoyed by certain people. Certain rules of precedence have been recognized. To discover a way in which Canada might be brought into the ceremony with that degree of dignity which the premier colony would have a right to expect, and at the same time to avoid giving offence to those whose place in coronation proceedings is recognized, is not just as simple as it might be. We hope, however, that His Majesty will find himself able to discover a way in which not only this Dominion but all the Dominions beyond seas may be properly recognized when he is formally crowned.

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Look for quality as well as pretty designs when you are buying Carpet Squares; they run into money quickly, and you don't want to be frequently renewing. Get reliable guaranteed brands and be safe. There are many stores that talk of quality, but we shall leave it to our record of results. Ask any one who has been to our store for Carpet Squares, and they will tell you their experience. Satisfied customers are our best advertisement. If you have a floor that is in need of a covering, we have a fine assortment for you to select from. Here are a few prices of our Squares:

Kensington Art Squares

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3x3 yards. Each	$13.00
3½x3 yards. Each	$15.00
3x4 yards. Each	$17.50
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4x4 yards. Each	$23.50
4x4½ yards. Each	$26.00
4x5 yards. Each	$29.00



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Size 3½ x 3½ yards	$8.00
Size 3 x 4 yards	$8.75
Size 3½ x 4 yards	$9.25
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Portiers with Tassels, in dark red, green, light green, brown, pink, 3 yards long. Per pair	$3.75
Portiers, in green, red, dark red, pale green and dark green, brown, 3 yards long. Per pair	$5.00
Portiers, in a delicate green, with tassels, 3 yards long. Per pair	$8.50
Portiers, beautiful salmon color, 3 yards long. Per pair	$10.00
Portiers, green and brown, with cord border, 3 yards long. Per pair	$9.75
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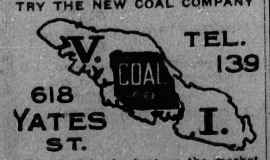
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Major Dundas was in town yesterday from Shawnigan.

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Madame Parizeau will not receive today.

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Mrs. A. W. Currie will not receive this afternoon.

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School Trustee A. B. McNeil went over to the mainland last night.

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Major Snyder, of the Northwest Mounted Police, is in the city, looking up some of his old friends.

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The Shawnigan Athletic Club will give a dance on the evening of Thursday, Jan. 26th, in their new clubhouse.

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Mr. Hugh Dolbey and Miss Dolbey, who have been visiting in Victoria, have returned to the Terminal City.

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Mr. Bulwer, of Esquimalt, has gone over to Vancouver on a visit of some duration.

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Mr. H. P. Vidal, from New Westminster, is in town for a few days and is staying at the Empress.

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Mr. D. C. M. Rolston, from Duncan, is in town on a short visit and is staying at the Balmoral.

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W. Blakemore, M.E., has gone north on a mining trip and will be away several days.

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Capt. O'Leary and Mr. A. E. Langley left yesterday via the C.P.R., for Mulgrade, N. S.

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Mrs. Frank Richter left yesterday on her return to her home at Keremeos.

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Mr. E. E. Billinghurst, manager of the B. C. Development Association, left last night on a trip to Walhachin.

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Capt. and Mrs. Phillipps Wolley left yesterday via the C.P.R., and the C.N.R. liner Royal George on a visit to England.

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Mr. R. N. Winslow, of the provincial department of agriculture, left last night on the Princess Royal for Vancouver.

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Mr. Peter Fulton leaves today via the C.P.R., and the Allan liner Hesperian on an extended trip to the Old Country.

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Mr. Alexander McDermot, of the Victoria, Vancouver Stevedoring company, went over to Vancouver on a business trip last night.

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Mrs. Price Ellison, wife of the Minister of Finance, has arrived from Vernon, to join Hon. Mr. Ellison at the Empress.

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Mr. George Lawrence, M.P.P. for Killarney, Man., occupied a seat on the floor of the Provincial House yesterday.

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Mrs. Wm. Gordon, Eureka, 1138 Richardson street, will not receive Wednesday, but will be at home on the third Wednesday in March.

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Mr. and Mrs. Longhurst, who have been spending some time in town at the Empress, left on Tuesday for Vancouver, where they will reside.

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Mr. and Mrs. Beuth Sims, who have been staying at the Empress, are leaving today for Vancouver to visit friends. After a short stay there they will leave for Field.

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Mrs. E. Stock and two children of the Quamichan hotel, Duncans, B. C., are paying a visit to the city and are the guests of Mrs. E. Coley, 778 Market street.

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Mr. T. S. Holt, executive agent of the C.N.P., arrived in Vancouver from Toronto yesterday, and is expected to reach Victoria this afternoon or evening.

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Mr. M. Lewis, a former resident of this city, and son of A. Lewis, is spending a few days in the city. Mr. Lewis is residing in Seattle and will return home today.

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Mrs. John Jackson and Miss N. Jackson, who have been spending a few months in Canada, were in town for the week end and left on Monday for Seattle, en route to New York, on their return to London, England.

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The marriage will take place at Christ Church Cathedral on the 25th inst. of Daisy Clarisa Barnard, eldest niece of Miss Manley, of Kentholme, Victoria, to Mr. Laurence Herbert Brett-Plummer, only son of Mr. William Brett-Plummer, of London, Eng.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Lucas with their two children and "the bulldog" have returned to the city, where Mr. Lucas expects he may now locate. Mr. Lucas, who was formerly with the Empress staff, left here to assume the managership of the Mt. Stephen House, Field. He has now left the employ of the C. P. R. hotel department.

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At 2:30 this afternoon, at Christ Church Cathedral, Mr. Charles Gore will be united in matrimony to one of Victoria's fairest daughters, in the person of Miss Marguerite Langley, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Langley, of 1926 Pemberton road, in this city. The bridegroom is one of the sons of Sir Francis and Lady Gore, of 36 Egerton Gardens, London, S.W., and of "The Briary," Isle of Wight. He is well known and highly esteemed here as a partner in the firm of Beaven, Gore and Eliot, stockbrokers, which he represents in Vancouver. The ceremony today at Christ Church Cathedral, which has been charmingly decorated for the occasion by some girl friends of the bride, will be performed by the Rev. Baugh Allen, M.A., who is an old friend of the family. Miss Langley will be accompanied to the altar by her brother-in-law, Mr. Victor Eliot, son of the Dean of Windsor, and will be given away by her mother, Mrs. Walter Langley. She will be accompanied by one bridesmaid, Miss Marguerite Little, while Mr. Gerard Phillips, cousin of the "groom," will be Mr. Chas. Gore's best man. A reception will be held after the ceremony at the house of the bride's mother, from which the handsome and happy couple will depart on their honeymoon, which is to be spent travelling in California. Both the bride and bridegroom's family have, of course, a host of friends and well wishers in Victoria, who will assemble to see consummated

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REGULATION OF MOTOR TRAFFIC

(Continued from Page 1.)

Non-registration, either by a provincial resident owner of a motor car or by a visitor is deemed an offense under the act, as well as any refusal to register, or any false statement made in connection with such registration.

Terms of Application.

Application for the registration of a car within the province must set forth the maker's name and place of manufacture, the maker's number, the engine number, the number of cylinders, horsepower, name of importer, of owner, if the machine is for hire or private use, its style and passenger capacity, and the street and number of the garage at which the car is to be kept. The annual license fee is fixed at $10.00, based on a computation at the rate of $1.00 per month for any broken part of a year's ownership. Fees are made recoverable by process of law, and licensees are obligated to report any changes in ownership in order to escape responsibility beyond their period of ownership. Notice of the removal of a machine from the province must also be given or of the destruction of the machine by accident or otherwise should this be its unhappy fate.

It is prescribed that no person under the age of seventeen shall be permitted to drive or operate a motor vehicle upon any public thoroughfare, nor any intoxicated person. No person may drive a car—either his own, a private car, or a car for hire, who has not first taken out a chauffeur's license, and for such license an additional fee of $5.00 per annum is demanded. The provisions of this section are explicitly stated not to apply to motors owned by municipal corporations, or as part of the equipment of fire departments, or to ambulances. Applicants for license as chauffeurs are required to give: The name in full, place of residence, particulars of experience in the handling of motor vehicles, nationality, age, previous occupation, and the names and addresses of two persons to whom application may be made for particulars as to the applicant's character and his or her fitness as the prospective holder of a chauffeur's license. Authority is vested in the Superintendent of Police to cancel or suspend chauffeurs' licenses for reckless or negligent driving, for the use of intoxicants, or for any other reason which he may regard as good and sufficient—and from his decision there is no appeal. When once a driver's license is suspended or cancelled, all rights existing thereunder immediately and absolutely cease.

Under the portions of the bill dealing with motor equipment, it is decreed that no motor may carry what is known to the trade as a searchlight, nor any intermittent or flash light. As might be anticipated, every car is required to carry its licenses number conspicuously displayed and easily readable by night as well as day. Alarm, by bell or horn, must be sounded on approaching all crossings, and it is specifically provided that motors must be locked when not in use and upon public streets or highways. The person in charge of a motor is specifically required to use all reasonable precaution not to frighten horses when they may be met with on the road, and to stop upon signal or request. Supplementing the standard rules of the road, the following special rules are provided in connection with what the motorist is to do upon meeting or overtaking horses or horsedrawn vehicles:

He shall not approach such horse or drawn vehicle within 100 yards at greater than 10-mile speed, or pass at greater than 10-mile speed;

If going in the same direction he must signal his desire to pass and afford the rider or driver of the horse or horses an opportunity to turn out so that he may pass with safety; and

If signalled by any driver to stop, or if any horse which the motor is approaching or passing appears frightened or unruly, he shall stop his car, including the engine, and shall remain stationary as long as may be required by the driver in passing, or until directed by such rider or driver to proceed.

Drivers of motors, outside city limits, must upon meeting funeral procession, stop their motors, and if practicable turn out into some intersecting road or lane until the funeral procession has passed. No motor shall pass, or attempt to pass at greater speed than four miles, a street car that has stopped to receive or discharge passengers.

In case of accidents, whether to pedestrians, or occupants of horsedrawn vehicles, or riders, the motorist must return to the scene of accident and give in writing to the injured person his name and address, together with the number of his license, after which he is required to furnish to the police within 24 hours of such accident, a written report of the occurrence, with all particular and material facts. The owner of any motor, as licensed in that behalf, is held responsible for any damage that may be caused by his vehicle, whomever may be at the time in charge of it; and when any loss or damage is so occasioned, the onus of proof that such loss or damage did not arise through the negligence or inefficiency of the driver of the machine shall rest upon the owner of the motor.

As to general permissible speeds, it is provided that no motor shall be driven within any city, town, village or settlement at greater speed than 10 miles an hour, or upon any country road in open country at higher than 25 mile speed, or 12 miles in any wooded district: Provided, that the council of any municipality may by bylaw set apart any portion of any highway within such municipality on which motors may be driven at greater speed. Motorists are required to slow down on crossing bridges or railway tracks, and every person driving or in charge of a motor shall always

Drive on the left-hand side of the road;

On meeting a vehicle, keep to the left; and

On overtaking or passing a vehicle, pass on the right.

The power of passing supplementary legislation governing the use and operation of motors within their boundaries is conferred on such municipalities—but may not vary the statutory regulations as to speeds, rules-of-the-road, or motor license fees.

Penalties under the new act are prescribed as not to be less than $25.00 or to exceed $300.00, and in any litigation the burden of proof as to license or responsibility shall rest upon the motor owner.

In addition to the act, the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council is empowered to make supplementary rules and regulations on the subject as necessity for such may arise. The adoption of this new act automatically repeals Chapter 41 of the Provincial Statutes, being the Motor Vehicle Speed Regulation Act of 1904.

Druggists Raising Rates.

TORONTO, Jan. 17.—The Dominion Pharmaceutical Association has under consideration a proposition for a general increase in the price of prescriptions given by doctors, under which scale an eight ounce preparation will cost not less than $1. The reason advanced by druggists is that the cut rate and departmental stores have made such inroads in their general business that some means will have to be taken to recoup themselves, and this is considered the most advisable. Under the scale of prices proposed all kinds of powders as well as liquids will be fifty per cent dearer.

Toronto Street Railway

TORONTO, Jan. 17.—The case of the Toronto Street Railway Company, charged with maintaining a common nuisance was opened yesterday before Mr. Justice Riddell. Twenty witnesses were heard, mostly in connection with various accidents on the company's lines during the past two years. Considerable testimony was incidentally adduced in regard to overcrowding and other events. The judge stated that he had set aside the whole week for the case and he issued a general invitation to all citizens interested to appear and give evidence or for ever after hold their peace.

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NEWS OF THE CITY

More Permits Issued

Building permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to W. H. Ozard for a dwelling to be erected on Albany avenue to cost $2,600; to R. T. Elliott, for general repairs to the building at the corner of Government and Cormorant streets, to cost $3,250, and to G. H. Bissell, alterations to store front on Douglas street to cost $350.

Inner Harbour Association

The annual general meeting of the Inner Harbour association was held at the City Hall yesterday. After reading the fourth annual report and considerable discussion thereon, the following were elected to the board for the ensuing year: G. A. Kirk, chairman; T. C. Sorby, secretary-treasurer; Capt. Troup, John Barnsley, D. Harken, the Mayor, Capt. Nicholson, G. McGregor, F. A. Raymond.

Workmen Resume Work

A large number of city workmen who were laid off during the recent cold spell are again being put to work. The various sewer gangs, which have been rushing sewer work in the Foul Bay section, and in other portions of the city, have resumed, though as yet few of the men engaged on sidewalk construction have been set to work. The present weather conditions add greatly to the cost of sidewalks, and comparatively little of this class of work is being done.

Street Improvements

Alderman Humber is agitating for local improvement works on portions of Vancouver and Cormorant streets. He will urge upon the council the paving with asphalt Vancouver street, between Pembroke street and Queen's avenue, and the construction of permanent sidewalks with curbs, gutters and boulevards, and the paving with asphalt Cormorant street between Government street and Blanchard street, the owners to pay four-fifths of the cost.

Hospital Improvements

Yesterday Aldermen Moresby and Okell, Dr. G. A. B. Hall, city health officer, and City Engineer Smith visited the Isolation hospital with a view of ascertaining what extension to the sewage facilities are necessary. Provision will also be made for an additional suspect ward, and arrangements will be made whereby the various infectious cases may be kept further apart than at present. The committee will report at Friday night's meeting of the board.

Gas Exploded

Illuminating gas exploding in an underground main at the corner of Yates and Blanchard streets last evening caused considerable excitement on that thoroughfare, and blew the covering of the manhole off its hinges. The flame burst out over four feet in the air, and passers-by investigated to find that the manhole was open to the street. Within a few minutes of the occurrence, gas company employees were on hand and the difficulty amended. The lighting system for a time was put out of commission.

Sells Red Polled Cattle

Realising that with the growth of the city the days when cattle can be successfully raised within its limits have passed away, Mr. E. Henderson of 3030 Quadra street has sold six head of red polled cattle to Mr. W. Dilworth of Kelowna for the sum of $1,200. The cattle have for some time past been pastured on the city side of Tolmie avenue, on a piece of acreage which has been put through the market several times during the past few months, and which is now about to be subdivided for residential purposes.

Scout Field Day.

The next field day of the Bay Scouts of Victoria and vicinity will be held on Saturday afternoon. The orders already issued by the Commissioner will be carried out. Operations will cease at 4 oclock, when all the scouts will assemble at the drill hall, which has been kindly lent for the occasion by Colonel Currie. After the umpire has given his decision the scouts will march along Government street, headed by the band. Scoutmasters are requested to take particular notice of the changes in the orders for the field operations from the preceding field day.

Facts For Aldermen

For Friday night's meeting of the streets committee, or "Board of Works" or whatever the sessions of the civic fathers will hereafter be termed, City Engineer Smith will submit a complete and detailed report of what pavement work and other local improvement work has been passed by the last council, what portion thereof has been completed, and what is still under way or not yet commenced. Last year's council passed an enormous amount of work, and there still remains to be done works aggregating in cost about $1,000,000. The engineer's report will be in the nature of a "where we are at" statement.

Annual Tea and Social.

The annual tea and social gathering of the First Congregational church will take place on Thursday evening in the lecture hall, Pandora street. The event promises to be interesting throughout. The ladies are preparing to serve supper in their most efficient manner from six to seven-thirty. During the evening the officers of the church have arranged to have presented brief reports of the work of the church in its various departments for the past year. The general financial statement will be given by the treasurer and the pastor will speak of the outlook for the future success of the work. A number of excellent musical and vocal selections will be rendered, among them being the male quartette. The pastor and deaconess are hoping to see present just as many of the members and friends of the church as possible, as this is a time for renewing old associations.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p. m., January 17, 1911.

SYNOPSIS.

The barometer is low along the coast and mild weather has become general throughout this province with rain west of the Cascades. Milder weather is also becoming general from the Rockies eastward to Manitoba.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	39	45
Vancouver	40	44
Kamloops	26	40
Barkerville	28	30
Prince Rupert	32	36
Atlin	28 below	20 b.
Dawson, Y. T.	44 below	42 b.
Calgary, Alta.	2 below	38
Winnipeg, Man.	22 below	8
Portland, Ore.	34	44
San Francisco, Cal.	44	56

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific Time) Wednesday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Winds mostly easterly and southerly, unsettled and mild with rain.

Lower Mainland: Winds mostly easterly and southerly, unsettled and mild with rain.

TUESDAY.

Highest	45
Lowest	39
Mean	42

Rain .22 inch; sunshine, 2 hours, 42 minutes.

Retires From C.P.R. Service.

After twelve years' service with the Canadian Pacific Railway, four years in the boundary district and the last eight on Vancouver Island as superintendent of the outside work here of the C.P.R. telegraph department, Mr. John Trotter has retired and intends taking up ranching on a property which he owns at Otter Point. Mr. Trotter is well and popularly known in Victoria and during his long service with the C.P.R. telegraph company, he has become acquainted with practically every resident along the E. and N. railroad where the wires of the company run. His many friends will wish him a hearty success in the new venture he is undertaking. He is succeeded in the local telegraph office by Mr. J. Macdonald, who recently came to the province from Nova Scotia.

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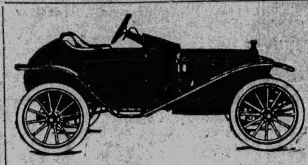
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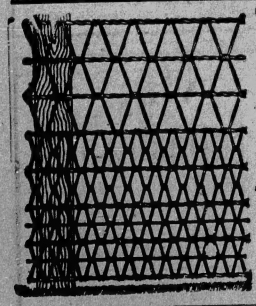
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SPEED BOATS FOR SUMMER'S RACING

SEATTLE, Jan. 17.—The season of 1911, according to those who follow the sport, bids fair to see all previous records in speed boat racing on the Pacific coast distanced by several miles per hour, inasmuch as the information now obtainable indicates that speed-boats will be of the hydroplane type rather than displacement hulls.

Last year saw the hardest fight for the West Coast speed championship fought out between the Seattle Spirit of Seattle and the Wolf II of Portland, these boats having raced no less than five times in their efforts to demonstrate which was the faster. After the last race, in which the Seattle boat finally defeated the Portland champion, the Wolff II took fire and was completely destroyed.

The Wolff II crowd, with some new additions, are building a boat for the 1911 contests, but are keeping very quiet as to just what her lines and power will be, except that it will be entered in the free-for-all races and that they are going to continue Johnny Wolff's record of always having the champion racer.

Walt. Andrews, the Canadian bike champion, who has been taking things fairly easy since he broke a leg at Woodstock several months ago, is getting into shape for the Buffalo ten-hour team race for amateurs, which will be run off immediately preceding the six-day grind at the Bison City this month. Andrews rides every day on the home trainer, and also takes a swim in the Varsity tank to reduce weight. While in New York recently he got after Frankie Blatz, the N. C. A. point champion of 1910, with the result that Walter and Blatz may be seen riding as a team in the Buffalo race. A great deal of interest would be taken in this pair, being as they are the amateur champions of their respective countries.

Packey McFarland and Owen Moran are taking fight in Chicago, and if both are ready to make concessions, which it is not probable they will, a match may be arranged. Moran wants Packey to make 128 at 3 o'clock, but the Chicagoan wants 126 at 4 o'clock.

NEWS OF THE CITY

Chinese New Year

Local Chinese are making great preparations for the celebration of the New Year holidays which begin at midnight on January 29th.

Anti-Tuberculosis Society

The senior branch of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society request all those who have membership books to leave them with their collections at the Alexandra Club addressed to Mrs. H. Carmichael, the secretary of the Society, on or before Feb. 1st. 1911.

Fruit Prosecutions

In the Provincial Police Court before Magistrate Jay, Ed. Plowright, fruit grower, Strawberry Vale, and Fred Saul, fruit grower, City were on information laid by Dominion Fruit Inspector D. M. Robertson, each fined $10.00 and costs, or in default one month's imprisonment for violation of the Inspection and Sales Act in not having their boxes of fruit properly marked in a plain and indelible manner with their full names and addresses, the variety of fruit and the grade. Mr. W. H. Langley appeared for the prosecution. Copies of the Act explaining how the boxes must be marked and defining the various grades can be had on application from D. M. Robertson, 237 Sixth street, New Westminster, B.C.

Successful Carnival.

With one of the largest crowds ever assembled in Victoria on roller skates and some of the finest costumes ever seen in this city at such an event, the Fifth Regiment band playing during the evening an excellent programme of fast catchy music, the first masquerade roller skating carnival given this year proved the event of the season last night at the Assembly rink. Every prize was keenly competed for, and Mrs. Blair and Mrs. William Wilson and Messrs. Bryden and Wilband had considerable difficulty in selecting the best of the large number contesting. The prizes were awarded thus: best dressed lady, Miss Van Sicklin; best dressed gentleman, Mr. Whistler; best couple, Miss McDougall and Mr. McFadden; best comic character, Mr. Lynn. The tombola was won by Mr. George Here, holding number 446.

"The Honeymoon Trail"

If all American honeymoons are as "merry and bright" as that of Tom Perkins and Edna Kennedy, no wonder divorce is so popular!

But these happy honeymoons are prone to upset the marital equilibrium, unless we can do what the stage folk are supposed to do and convert married life into one long honeymoon trial.

A better name for Messrs. Hough and Adams musical comedy would be "The Beano Trail." What "plot" there is, is sowed with "Mason's Canned Beans" and "Ba-low's Boston Beans," and the conflict between the maker of one and the advertising manager of the other is the cause of most of the fun of the play.

The "Boston Bean" manager is also in love with the daughter of the rival "Canned Bean," and their five-minute attempts at elopement are frustrated by the vigilance of the very "heavy" father and the vagaries of the very light-hearted guests at the Liberty Hall hotel and the Sleepy Hollow Rest Sanatorium across the road.

The missing scene—I mean the "mise-en-scene" is made attractive by a company of excellent character comedians, a sprightly chorus, and a mad medley of song and dance. It is all very amusing, though to criticise "The Honeymoon Trial" as a play, would send the drama into widow's weeds. But, for such an irresponsible go-as-you-please-laugh-where-you-can musical comedy, the critic who criticised would be as much out of place as a funeral mute at an Irish wake. "The Honeymoon Trail" is full of "le joie de vivre," for which may we all be truly thankful. The haunting waltz song, "I Don't Want a Million Dollars," is one which the whole town will be whistling in a day or two, though they may not mean all they sing!

In Messrs. Kelly and Fitzgerald's company at the Victoria theatre, where they are playing again tonight, the comedy is as strong as the singing is weak.

Louie Kilso as the bouncing bean "booster," keeps the box of beans rattling right through, and is with Fred Wyckoff (as the rival manufacturer and fat stepfather of Edna), the life and soul of the piece. Both are first class comedians of well contrasted types. Very amusing, too, is the really clever character-comedy of Carl George as the German Von Mohr, and both Lew Lawson (as the "rest-cure" doctor) and Charles Seagrave (as a nervous patient) play with character and in the true spirit of comedy. The honors among the ladies must be divided between dainty Clara Dalton as Edna, and handsome Arline Boling as Frances, the "present" wife of the oft-divorced Hemingway. Others make the best of the little chances they have, and a large assortment of mixed "fruits" in the chorus make "everything in the garden lovely." As one with practical experience of the difficulties of "producing" here's a nine by four slap on the back for Ned Wayburn. Ned's way of keeping things going and stage grouping is one which, if followed, would redeem many of those "musical comedies" which has neither real music or true comedy. But, friend Ned, that "Chanticler" dance, is what a poultry farmer would call a bit "broody"

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ANOTHER PROTEST

This Time It Is Mr. Oliphant Who Seeks To Void Election Of Mayor Morley

With B. J. Perry seeking to invalidate the recent election of mayor and aldermen, the latest opposition to the return of the mayor yesterday developed when Mr. William Oliphant, through his solicitors, Mr. Frank Higgins and Mr. George Morphy, filed a petition in the Supreme Court praying that the court void the election of his worship. Several allegations are made, among them being that the lists were improperly prepared in that the property owners' list was compiled not from the registry office records as the act calls for, but from the assessment roll; that the mayor owes his election to the corrupt practices of himself and agents through bribery and treating. It is hoped to prove that a bribe was offered and accepted by a hackman conveying voters to the polls, and that the mayor's agent, Mr. Phil R. Smith, offended against the provisions of the Election Act in that he tacked up election signs on the morning of the election.

His worship was served yesterday morning with a copy of the petition and is now consulting his solicitors preparatory to putting in his defence.

Nothing further has as yet been done by Mr. B. J. Perry relative to his action to void the election of the mayor and aldermen. The petition which he will present to the courts has not yet been prepared, but it is stated it will be presented within the next day or two.

AMBULANCE ASSOCIATION

Meeting Tomorrow Night Will Be Held In Oddfellows' Hall At Eight O'clock

Owing to the short time in which to make arrangements for the meeting for the purpose of organizing the Provincial branch of the St. John Ambulance Association, Capt. Birdwhistle the general secretary, who is here from Ottawa, would like the invitation to attend to be accepted by the citizens generally, so that as large a number as possible would learn of the admirable objects of the organization.

His Excellency the Governor General has taken a great interest in the movement in Canada, and all certificates issued to those who are successful in passing the examinations will be signed by him as the Patron of the Association. H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught is the President and Grand Prior of the parent body in England, and when he comes to Canada in September next he will assume the duties of Patron of the Canadian branch, and the certificates will consequently bear his signature. The meeting of Thursday night will be held in the Oddfellows hall at 8 o'clock.

MADE PRESENTATION

Mrs. C. E. Cooper Recipient Of Life Membership In National Council Of Women

An interesting presentation took place on Monday afternoon at Bishopsclose, when Mrs. Cooper, who is shortly leaving Victoria for England, was presented by Miss Crease with a life membership in the National Council of Women, on behalf of the Local Council of Women, which she was asked to accept as a token of the esteem in which she is held by the Council. There were a large number present, among them being Mrs. Paterson, Mrs. Dunsmuir, Mrs. R. S. Day, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Gavin Burns, Mrs. Hasell, Mrs. McMicking, Mrs. Willscroft, Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw, Mrs. Graves, Mrs. Hay, Mrs. Gould, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. McNaughton, Mrs. Flett, Mrs. Spofford and many others.

The tea table was charmingly arranged with quantities of yellow flowers. As chairman of the presidential board, Mrs. Spofford spoke of the appreciation of Mrs. Cooper's work as president of the local Council, and how those who had worked with her realized that they had got into very close heart to heart touch with her. Mrs. Jenkins referred to the pleasant association the officers of the Council had always had with Mrs. Cooper. Mrs. Day, as provincial vice-president, referred to her extremely pleasant personal association with Mrs. Cooper, and expressed the hope that some time in the future the Rev. and Mrs. Cooper would return to the province. Mrs. Hasell spoke in appreciative terms of the work Mrs. Cooper had done for the Council of Women and other organizations in whose work she had been engaged. Mrs. Gavin Burns, on behalf of the Council, tendered thanks to Bishop and Mrs. Perrin for their charming hospitality.

AFTER THE STORM

Cemetery Employees Gather Bones From The Shattered Graves Near Bank

Following the gale of Monday, the cemetery employees were seen yesterday morning below the bank at Ross Bay gathering up bones which had been scattered from graves wrecked by the storm. These were placed in a sack and conveyed to another portion of the cemetery for interment.

The piles driven in the shape of a groyne to ward off the seas were pulled up "like skewers from meat," to use the graphic language of a spectator, and the planks riddled as handily as if the protection was merely wall paper.

Rumor Was Groundless

Just to prove that the report of his death was, as Mark Twain once remarked, "greatly exaggerated," Sid Humber, son of Alderman Humber, returned to the city yesterday with Mr. Harry Morton after making a three weeks' hunting trip to Darcy Island. On Saturday Mr. Humber went over to Sidney but was forced to remain there overnight owing to the strength of the gale. The next day he set out in a launch and succeeded in getting in the rear of Sidney Island and then worked his way to Darcy Island. In the meantime his companions, fearing for his safety, conveyed their fears to a passing boat. Hence the rumor which was widely circulated in the city on Monday occasioning great concern to the lad's parents.

OBITUARY NOTICES

Hall.

The death occurred at the Jubilee Hospital Monday night of Mrs. Anna Hall, aged 74 years, after an illness of several months. The deceased had been a resident of this city for about two years, and was a native of Winnipeg. The late lady is survived by two daughters here, Mrs. Charles Stewart and Mrs. Nellie Anderson. The remains are reposing at the Hanna chapel pending funeral arrangements.

O'Brein.

A verdict of accidental death was returned by the coroner's jury yesterday morning in the case of Joseph O'Brien who was killed last Saturday night at the ten mile point of the E. & N railway by the down freight. The funeral will take place from the Victoria Undertaking parlors this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, where they have been reposing since they were brought to the city in a cutter early Sunday morning. The Rev. Gilbert Cook will conduct the services.

Lownds.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Eliza Lownds took place from the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Co.'s parlors yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, and fifteen minutes later from Christ church cathedral where Bishop Perrin officiated. Interment was made in the Ross Bay cemetery.

McDonald

The death occurred at the Jubilee Hospital on Monday of James McDonald, aged 45 years, after a short illness. The deceased had been until his illness employed at the Bullen Shipyards, and was well known in the Esquimalt district. The remains are reposing at the B.C. Funeral Furnishing Co's parlors, from where the funeral will take place at a later date.

Waitt

One of the pioneer ladies of Victoria, in the person of Mrs. Mary Anngelett Waitt, passed away to her well earned eternal rest yesterday afternoon at her residence, 1625 Quadra street. The late Mrs. Waitt had been in failing health for some time, but it was only last Friday that she took a serious turn, and gradually and peacefully sank off to her long sleep. Mrs. Waitt was the wife of the late Marshall W. Waitt, who died in the year 1892. She arrived in Victoria in the year 1860, shortly afterwards taking up her residence with her young husband at the house on Quadra street, where she died. At this time this residence was considered a long way out of the city, but she has lived to see young Victoria, as it was then, grow to be a thriving city. Mrs. Waitt had many true friends in the city who will be grieved to hear of her death. She unostentatiously assisted many of the charitable institutions of Victoria, and had a quiet way of her own of dispensing charity in other channels. She leaves two daughters, with their families ,to mourn her loss, Mrs. Herbert Kent, and Mrs. Henderson, the latter of whom has lived with her for many years. To those who are left to mourn, the sympathy of all their friends is extended.

Stewart.

The many friends of Miss Edna M. E. (Tillie) Stewart will learn with regret of her death in Seattle of typhoid fever. Miss Stewart joined the corps of nurses a little over a year ago as a nurse in training. Her death has cast a shadow of gloom over all the doctors and nurses of the Seattle City Hospital. The late Miss Stewart was born in Winnipeg, Manitoba and was twenty-one years nine months and eleven days old. She leaves beside a sorrowing father and mother, five sisters and three brothers, Mrs. Geo. Anderson, 728 Kings Road; Mrs. Harry Burke, 947 McClure street, this city; Mrs. Jack Langdon of South Bend, Wash.; Miss Jennie Stewart of Grand Forks; Miss Mable Stewart of Kamloops and Geo. Alex. and Stanley Stewart of Portland, Oregon. Mrs. Anderson left for Seattle to attend the funeral on Sunday morning at ten o'clock.

Ed. Konetchy tells a good story on his former manager, John McCloskey. At the time Wolters was subbing in the Cardinal outfield, and in a game in Brooklyn had connected for four singles in five times at bat. It seems that the Cards were still a run behind, and McCloskey was coaching Wolters was quite steady, however, after he heard his said: "I guess

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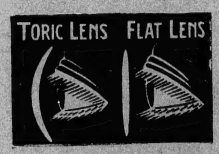
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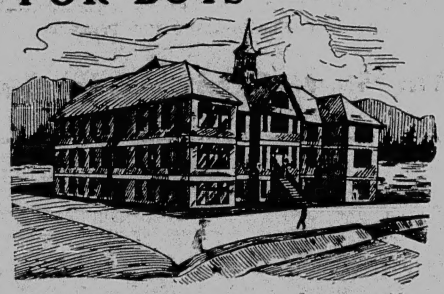
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HERE AND THERE

The news that the Duke of Connaught is really coming to Canada as governor-general has given rise to much speculation as to the influence which the presence of royalty at Ottawa will have on this country. It may seem ungracious and ungrateful to suggest such an idea but there are many who fear that the presence of ladies who have been accustomed to the grandeur and ceremony of the royal court will encourage extravagance and, what is still more to be dreaded, snobbery among the subjects of His Majesty in this part of the empire. The influence of the vice-regal household is very widespread. From every constituency in the country, men assemble at the capitol, and from time to time, many of the members take with them their wives and daughters. The social usages and the standards of Rideau Hall become familiar to these as well as to the society of the capital. The wives of members and senators become, in a measure, at least, the representatives in their own communities, of these ideals and standards.

It may well be doubted whether the ladies at Rideau Hall have not, in their own way, as much to do with the making of this new nation as their husbands and fathers have.

But there does not seem to be any reason to fear that the Duchess of Connaught, although of royal lineage and royal alliance, will offend the most democratic of Canadians. All that can be learned about her, is that she has been devoted to the duties of her home. Her eldest daughter, the Crown Princess of Sweden, has made herself the darling of the people. Her son is a noble young fellow who gains the good will of all sorts and conditions of men with whom he comes in contact. The Princess Patricia is a beauty who refuses, if reports are true, to give her hand without her heart, no matter how high may be the rank of the suitor.

This quiet, home-loving lady who has been so successful in bringing up her own family will doubtless help the wives and mothers of Canada. If she and her daughter bring with them the love of beauty, the ease, the grace and the refinement which association with men and women of culture and talent as well as much travel and leisure, well-used, are likely to produce, so much the better.

All that Canadian women can offer their royal Highness is a hearty welcome and sincere wishes that their stay here will be a very happy one. This they will find awaiting them on their arrival in this country.

The investigations now going on in Vancouver, the scandals in connection with the printing bureau as well as reports which appear from time to time show all who think, that the people of Canada are not as honest about the public funds as most of them are in their private business.

Few of us are afraid of our grocer, our drygoods merchant or any of the people with whom we have dealings every day. On the other hand, it is that very exceptional person who has to be watched when passing through a store. The man or woman who would carry away a book, a piece of silk or a box of groceries would, if the transaction were discovered, be banished from respectable society, even if the owner of the goods did not consider prosecution expedient. The most charitable view of the individual who acted in this way would be that he or she was a kleptomaniac. A view that is very seldom taken except when the person is wealthy or occupies a high social position.

But, let the property belong to the state or even to the city, and it is looked upon in quite a different light. To appropriate it is no longer theft. The word "graft" has been coined to designate this species of crime, and we all know that the grafter is not always looked upon as a thief. Yet why should robbery of the treasury be considered in any other light than robbery of the bank. The person enriched has no better title to his gains in the one case than in the other. Before women condemn the man who is false to his trust in a public department, they should consider whether or not they would scruple to defraud the customs. This is the temptation to graft which assails the greatest number of women. The tariff may be oppressive, but as long as it exists, those who in any way, escape its payment, keep back the sum, whether it be large or small, which is the common property of the people of Canada. The number of women in this country who would take the equivalent in money of the duty on hats, boots, gowns or ornaments, from the cash boxes of the custom house officials is very small. Few will content that the number who would, if possible, evade the payment of duty on any or all of these articles is not very large. This matter is seldom taken seriously. But the want of strict integrity among the employees of governments, whether federal, provincial or civic is a fatal disease and is certain in time, to undermine the best condition.

Yet national morality will not rise higher than that of the individuals who compose the nation. The women form part, and we are accustomed to boast, the most influential part of the people where the setting of moral standards is concerned. It is well worth our while to consider how far each of us is working for the strict integrity which should distinguish Canadians both in public and private life.

An experiment has been tried in New York that is of interest to mothers everywhere. The schools are supplying lunches to children at three cents each and they find that it pays. It is not to be supposed that mothers here could prepare a sufficient luncheon for boys and girls for so small a sum. But the experiment has proved that a hot lunch of soup, cocoa, sandwiches or other nourishing and appetizing food without tea or coffee has improved the health and increased the weight and growth of the children.

Even among people in good circumstances, it is too much the fashion to neglect the midday meal of the children. Where the fathers take their luncheons to work or in town, mothers make anything do for themselves and the children. According to the evidence of the women who provide the meal for the school children, this is a great mistake. Ill-nourished pupils do not learn well. It pays to prepare dainty and nourishing lunches for the children who must stay in school, and to cook something appetising, however simple, for those who come home. The mother who thinks, as so many do, that anything will do for herself may be unselfish, but she is foolish and shortsighted. The happiness of all members of her family no less than their comfort depends on her keeping herself in good health. Nothing contributes to this more than a proper diet.

The law which gave the women of Washington the suffrage, rendered them liable for jury duty. A Seattle justice has determined, so it is said, to enforce the latter part of the law and to punish the women who refuse for contempt of court.

It is easy to see that such a justice might be guilty of great cruelty. There are women who would make good jurors but they are very few. The connection between voting and jury duty is not very plain. There are still some things for which the whole world is agreed that women are not fitted. No one thinks that the woman of this age can become a soldier and it would seem that she is not fitted by nature to decide on the guilt or innocence of a fellow being. That such physical and temperamental disqualifications should make her unable to exercise the ballot is not the opinion of many of the wisest men and women of our time.

Most of those who have observed children at all closely have noticed how much more keenly some seem to feel pain than others. The injury that sets one child almost into convulsions will be borne by another with scarcely a cry.

One child will lightly run the risk of corporal punishment while another will do anything to avoid it. Elders are accustomed to be severe with signs of what looks like cowardice and to look with admiraton on the little fellow who doesn't mind the fall or the blow. The following paragraph by Sir James Paget shows that there may be much injustice in such a course of conduct. It is well worth careful reading, for it shows how those who dread pain may be able to conquer themselves.

It is pain as it is with sight or touch or the muscular sense, or, for example, with hearing. As some persons have naturally "an ear for music," so have some, and often the same persons, a very fine sensibility to pain; and, as one who has habitually and very earnestly directed his ear, i.e., his auditory nerve-centre, to the discernment of sounds, becomes in time keenly, and without conscious effort, sensitive to even the least sound or the least variation of a tone, so it is with some in regard to pain. With almost constant direction of the mind they increase every pain, and even find or insert pain in places and conditions in which one less exercised would not feel any. And this goes on till they become able, without conscious effort, to observe the least deviations from natural sensation, and almost wholly unable to distract the mind from them.... A lesson for all whose sense is quick for pain is that they should strive for such control of will to be able to divert the attention, as much and as often as possible, from the watching of pain. For pain expected, watched for, long thought of, or talked of, will come; it will come in or from the nerve-centre, and may be as bitter as any of the nerve-ends. Any real pain that is often described by one who feels it is thereby nurtured, and the power of discerning it is being made stronger; and conversely, the longer and the more often the attention can be diverted from any pain, the less does the power of discerning that pain become, just as the muscular or any sense, when out of practice, loses some of its cunning. And patients should not trust to others for this distraction; they should educate their own wills so as to be able to direct their attention to whatever may be for the time best."

To needlessly inflict physical pain on one who is very sensitive is a cruelty of which no one should be guilty.

In Canada, it is not the custom of the wives of mayors to take much part in public life. It is quite different in England. There a man does not often offer himself for the position of mayor of a city without consulting the mistress of his house whether she be wife or sister or daughter. The London Daily Chronicle gives a description of the duties of the mayoress which would make many a woman hesitate long before undertaking them. It says: "Usually her first definite and social and official action is to call upon the wives of all aldermen and town councillors. This is a sufficiently trying start on a new career, for quite properly the constituent members of the corporation belong to widely differing worldly strata. Some will already be well known to her; others count themselves in a more exclusive set; there will be worthy matrons ill at ease in gilt and alabaster drawingrooms, and a few perhaps doing the honors of best parlors, and with some difficulty refraining from dusting the best char. But, rich or poor, the mayoress, by her tact and the happy touching of their common interests, must lay then the foundation of a twelvemonth of goodwill.

Two sorts of duties stand out conspicuously on a mayoress's list. One sort has relation to her position as municipal hostess; the other is concerned with the assistance expected of her in a widely diversified philanthropic sphere. She is expected to give a certain number of civic 'at homes,' at which, while following precedent, her individuality has plenty of scope. For these functions, the council chamber is at her disposal. When the sovereign or some exalted personage connected with the crown honors the city with a visit the actual reception partially devolves on the mayoress.

Philanthropically a mayoress's duties are still more exacting. Nearly every committee of a flower show, baby show bazaar or what not, expects her to open it—especially the bazaars. These last are something of an ordeal to any one who has never been the central figure on a platform. She must have prepared a few sentences of sympathy and congratulation—'I have much pleasure in declaring this bazaar open' is scarcely sufficient.

The office has, of course, its compensations. The influence of a chief citizeness's name is worth while, and the mayoress is in a position to further various projects of helpfulness. In English towns and boroughs, the council chamber is at her disposal for meetings, etc., when not required for its specific purpose, but party politics are outside the range of her activities. The English mayoress has also the privilege of wearing a civic jewel or badge, which may be like a lesser mayoral chain, or a pendant or medallion."

A bill to give women their right to vote at municipal and departmental councils has been introduced into the French parliament and as it has the active support of 200 members, it is likely to pass. This is looked upon as a step to the national franchise.

The chairman of the commission to enquire into the advisability of giving women the vote was Mr. Buisson. He answers some of the arguments of the opponents of the measure. To the objection that women do not serve in the army he answers "No more do men who are physically unfit. Besides, officers have no votes. It must be remembered, too, that women are the mothers of soldiers."

Mr. Buisson does not see why if women teachers be electors in educational matters, working women in labor matters, women traders in commercial matters, why women rate and taxpayers may not exercise the corresponding electoral rights.

In France there is no property qualification and all adult women, whether married or single, will have the franchise, if the proposed measure becomes law.

Dr. Helen Macmurchy has resigned her post as editor of the "Canadian Nurse." This little magazine has, under her management, attained a well-deserved popularity among the nurses of the country. It is to be hoped that it is now so well established that it will grow still more useful as the years go on. Canadian nurses are considered the most efficient and intelligent members of the profession on this continent, and their organ should be worthy of them.

Archbishop Bruchesi proposes that the City of Montreal should levy a tax for the support of the poor. Commenting on the proposal the Montreal Star criticises the method by which the needs of the sick and the poor are left to the benevolence of a small minority of the citizens. This is a question that affects the people of all the cities of Canada. We must have many institutions for the care of those who are not able to care for themselves. In almost all cases these are supported by voluntary contributions to a large extent. The work of raising these contributions and of administering the funds is largely in the hands of women. Would this work be done better by the municipalities or by the governments of the various provinces?

We know that in the administration of the 'poor' laws in Great Britain abuses have from time created grave ills. We have nothing in Canada corresponding to the spirit of pauperism which seems to have sapped all that is best in the poor of many of the great cities of the United Kingdom. Yet this must have had a beginning sometime. On the other hand it must be granted that there is much waste both of effort and money, where there are many societies. There is always the danger that in any great emergency there will be needless suffering. In our own city there is comparatively little poverty. Yet there is much self-denying effort on the part of the women who minister to the suffering. Conditions here are now very different from those in Montreal, but it may be that the arguments which the writer in the Star uses have a local application. This is what he says:

"The magnificent hospitals and other charitable institutions of this city are something to be proud of; the subscription lists are something to be ashamed of, because they indicate that the whole burden of the support of these institutions is left to a few hundred people. The growth of the city, the rapid influx of European pauper population, has brought this matter to an acute crisis. Common humanity forbids the idea of the necessities of these people being ignored, and common sense shows that there is a limit to the amount of money that can be expected from the small minority of benevolent citizens, who now enjoy a practical monopoly of the privilege of giving. The community as a community has a responsibility in this connection, and the Archbishop's suggestino that the city should make a per capita contribution of, say, 35 cents a day, towards the support of the inmates of the hospitals and other charitable institutions, has much to commend it. No man of decent instincts can see the Little Sisters of the Poor, or Salvation Army lassies, traveling around from store to store, from door to door, begging for scraps of food for the poor, without a feeling of humiliation. This kind of thing should not be necessary, and so long as it is in existence we have no right to brag about our freedom from workhouses and poor rates. With the very respectable revenue Montreal now enjoys, a special tax for charitable purposes may not be necessary; but a special appropriation for these purposes is not only necessary, it is unavoidable, and the thanks of the whole community, Catholic and Protestant, are due to the Archbishop for grasping the nettle."

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TACOMA, Jan. 17.—N. A. Brown, manager of the Electric garage, whose mysterious disappearance last Thursday caused a sensation, is charged with obtaining money under false pretences by issuing a cheque for $100 on a bank when he had no funds in the tank. A warrant has been issued for his arrest. The police have found signed notes for $15,000, which he made the day he disappeared. It is now the belief of the officers that Brown's hat, which was left with an ugly looking cut in it, was left purposely by Brown himself.

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"PACKY" MAKES A WHIRLWIND PACE

McFarland Put Out Goodman In Fifth Round Of Scheduled Ten Round Bout In New York

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Packy McFarland, of Chicago, knocked out Jack Goodman, of New York, in the fifth round of a scheduled 10-round bout at the Fairmount Athletic Club tonight. The stockyards lightweight first floored Goodman for the count of nine with a right swing on the jaw, and when Goodman arose groggy, sent him down for the count of ten with a rain of blows on the face.

Goodman was outclassed and outfought in every round. McFarland was the aggressor from the start. In the second round McFarland opened a gash under Goodman's left eye and split his lip with straight lefts to the face.

When the third opened McFarland showed his confidence by a vicious rush and from that moment never let up. He smothered Goodman's body blows, blocked his leads for the head and bored in harder at each lull. Goodman took five stinging uppercuts and one hard slam to the wind in this round. In the fourth Goodman found himself for a moment, but did no damage and the round ended with Goodman in his corner covering up and McFarland hammering him on the head.

In the fifth and last round, Goodman was slow and weak. McFarland swung three times to the jaw without a return, took two light blows to the mouth himself while still boring in and chasing Goodman to the ropes caught him with a heavy right hand uppercut to the point of the jaw. Goodman dropped to his knees and hung there, swaying till the count of nine. He was still groggy when he arose and helpless before the rain of blows McFarland showered on him. A heavy right hand swing to the jaw dropped him flat on his face in McFarland's corner for the full count. Both men weighed in at 135 pounds.

Before the bout was put on, "Philadelphia" Jack O'Brien announced that "Knockout" Brown will meet Ad Wolgast on February 8th, in a six round bout before a Philadelphia club.

PROPOSE IMPORTING PACK FOX HOUNDS

It is expected that Victoria sportsmen will shortly hear the baying of a pack of genuine fox hounds. Mrs. Cox, a prominent member of the local hunt club, is said to have decided to import the dogs. They will be kept on the exhibition grounds and no doubt will be used for the weekly runs of the organization.

SPOKANE FINED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS

AUBURN, N. Y., Jan. 17.—Among the decisions handed down by the National Board of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues today was one affirming the fine of $100 imposed on Spokane for "farming" Gus Mosling.

CROSS KNOCKS OUT CHARLEY GRIFFIN

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Leach Cross, the East Side lightweight, knocked out Charley Griffin, who claims the lightweight championship of Australia, in the second round of a scheduled ten-round bout at the Vanderbilt Athletic club in Brooklyn last night. Cross made the Australian look like a novice in the first round, and the second round was hardly under way before the fighting dentist landed a hard right swing to the jaw, and Griffin was unconscious for four minutes.

LANGFORD MAKES A FAREWELL SALAAM

UTICA, N. Y., Jan. 17.—Sam Langford made his last appearance in the ring here last night before sailing for Europe. He appeared in a bout with Fred Atwater. Atwater is a bigger negro but had no chance. The bout was so one-sided that it was stopped in the third round.

GO TO TERMINAL CITY NEXT MONTH

February 11 Accepted As Date Collegians Will Travel To Mainland—Will Play 'Varsity At Oak Bay Friday Afternoon

Accepting the date submitted by the Vancouver High school of February 11 the local traveling committee of the Victoria High school will commence a series of strenuous practices for the rugby, hockey and basketball teams, beginning this week to prepare the students for the trip to the Terminal city. Capt. "Bill" Day, secretary, wrote the Vancouverites yesterday, and if arrangements can be made, will hold the first drill for the rugby boys this week.

The University students are willing and the High School boys will meet them in a practice game next Friday afternoon at Oak Bay Park, at 3:30 o'clock. From now on "Bill" will once more get the fifteen and recruits into line now that the joys of Christmas and New Year are things of the past, while the basketball instructors and hockey coaches promise to do their part to make the representation for Vancouver next month a strong one. But strongest of all is the desire of the local fifteen to scalp the Vancouverites after the "goose-egg" score that was played for the B. C. championship here last December.

Notwithstanding the fact that three of the fifteen who played Vancouver then have left school, it is considered that it will not be difficult, by the time mentioned, to have these places creditably filled. Boggs and Wescott, two important players of the three-quarter line, and Scott of the forward line, have left school for good and their places must be filled. As soon as one turnout is made, it will be better times to "get a line" on the material on hand, but with a fast junior rugby team and plenty of senior reserves it is a fact that plenty will try for the vacant positions.

KENNEL CLUB TO SHOW IN MARCH

Dates Selected For Annual Exhibition — Vancouver Event Takes Place Following Week —Judge Not Yet Appointed

The annual Victoria Kennel Club show will take place from the 29th to the 31st of March, inclusive, according to a decision reached at a largely attended meeting held the other night. Committees have been appointed to take charge of the arrangements and there is reason to believe that the exhibition will be exceptional in point of entries and the quality of the canine benched.

With the Vancouver show falling on or about April 5th and continuing for three days and those of Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, and other coast cities coming after, probably in the order named, it is expected that all the doggy men of the northwest will foregather here to make a start with their favorites on the circuit. Thus they will be able to show in each city, there being enough of an interval between each one to enable them to make the jumps without inconvenience.

Nothing definite has been done as yet with regard to the selection of a judge or judge. Thats matter is being taken up with Vancouver, it being the idea that the clubs jointly will be able to share the expense of bringing to the Canadian West one of the celebrated authorities of the east. The Kennel Club is anxious to please both the local and the visiting fanciers with respect to the calibre of the man chosen to do the ribbon dispensing. It is the opinion that there is nothing more potent in the way of popularizing a show than the appointing of a judge who is recognized by all as being an expert.

HACKENSCHMIDT WINS

Russian Wrestler Defeats Ordeman In Two Straight Falls

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 17.—Hackenschmidt defeated Ordemann in two straight falls in a wrestling match here tonight. The Russian got the first fall in 2 hours 37½ minutes, and the second in 2½ minutes.

The wrestling match was the most exciting ever seen here. To Hackenschmidt's greater strength is due his victory. The second fall took only two and a half minutes, the Russian picking up the local man and throwing him in the same manner as in the first fall. Ordemann was the most skilful of the two and displayed great ability in defensive work, but his physique was not equal to that of Hackenschmidt.

Ad. Wolgast will come out of retirement Feb. 22, the anniversary of the day he won the title from Battling Nelson. Wolgast has agreed to fight George Memsic 20 rounds at Tom McCarey's California arena. Wolgast says that his arm is now in good shape, and he will commence active training at once.

BRITISH CHAMP ON THE WARPATH

Digger Stanley, English Bantam Title Holder, Crosses Ocean To Meet Some Best American Glove Artists

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Digger Stanley, English bantam champion, who unearthed the Lonsdale belt from the British pugilistic mines, is here to dig for American Queensbury treasure. The object of his coming is to dig his fists into the faces and midriffs of Uncle Sam's bantams and then sail back to Albion with a proud smile and the title of bantam champion of the world.

The chances are that the Digger will encounter some extremely hard pugilistic rocks before he finishes his excavations, and if he is successful in his quest for the world's bantam crown he will show himself to be a much better boxer than his record would imply.

Stanley's first bout in America will be with Frankie Burns at the National Sporting club. Stanley has selected as his first victim probably the toughest customer in the bantam class in this country. The ten-round limit and the no-decision feature would doubtless enable the Briton to emerge from the bout without complete loss of prestige, but the English champion would realize at the close that he had been engaged in something much more exciting than ring around rosy.

Stanley has a peculiar record. It is brilliant and mottled in spots. He is 28 years old, having been born in Norwich, England, on February 28, 1883. In the first noteworthy battle of his career, which took place in Birmingham, England, on June 17, 1901, he got the decision over Owen Moran, then a bantam, in a 20-round bout that went the limit.

Moran returned to the fray on November 9, 1903, in London, and again Stanley got the decision at the end of 20 rounds.

Moran still felt that he was Stanley's master, and engaged him in battle for the third time, the date being January 23, 1905, and the place London. The decision went to Moran and that bout ended their meetings, for Moran graduated into the featherweight division and Stanley remained a bantam.

In the same year Stanley lost a 20-round decision to a boxer named George Moore, and they never met again. In fact, Moore seems to have dropped completely out of the game.

In 1907 Stanley lost a bout to Bob Kendrick in Liverpool in nine rounds, but the victor seems to have retired or grown too heavy for the class. At any rate, Stanley never reversed the verdict, but he kept on fighting in the bantam class and eventually won the title and kept it.

Al Delmont, then a promising New England bantam, went to London in 1907 and beat the Digger in Liverpool in 17 rounds.

Stanley was beaten by Pedlam Palmer in two meetings, once in ten rounds in 1902 and again in 12 rounds in 1903.

Beginning with 1908 Stanley settled down to a succession of Victories. He beat Sammy Kellar in 1908, had a 15-round draw with Jimmy Walsh in 1909, a 20-round draw with Young Pierce in 1910 and knocked out Joe Bowker, former bantam and featherweight champion, in eight rounds last October. Bowker lost his featherweight title to Jim Driscoll, and then thought he might get back his bantam honors by beating Stanley.

The best line on Stanley's ability is found in his four battles with Jimmy Walsh. They met twice in 15-round bouts in London, in 1904, Stanley getting a draw in the second.

Then Stanley came to America and boxed Walsh 15 rounds in Chelsea on October 20, 1905. Walsh got the decision on points. Walsh and Stanley had their final meeting in London on May 24, 1909, and the result was a draw in 15 rounds.

An atttmpt has been made to create the impression that if Burns and Stanley meet in this city it will be an international championship. This is buncombe. Burns does not hold the American title, and even if he knocked out Stanley the Jersey boy would gain only the British title.

ATHLETES LIVE TO AN OLD AGE

Statistics Show That Report That Active Sports Die Young As A Rule Is Not Well Founded

A refutation of the frequent charges that athletes die young has been published with statistics in the Yale Daily News. The record of 761 athletes who won their "Y" in one or more of the major sports between the years 1885 and 1904 have been compiled. The statistics read in part as follows:

"Of these 761 athletes, 51 have died since graduation. The causes were: Consumption 12, pneumonia four, drowning six, heart disease two, war and accident three, died from unknown causes or disappeared, ten, from various diseases, such as fevers, cancer, paresis, disagation, etc., 13.

"Out of these 51 men, 18 rowed on the crew, 16 played football, 11 were track athletes and six played football. The ages of those who have died show these extremes and averages:

Sports—	Extremes of age	Av. ages at death.
Crew	20 to 68 years	41.7 years
Football	20 to 39 years	28.3 years
Baseball	20 to 39 years	28.3 years
Track	21 to 33 years	25.4 years

"If the four men who were drowned while young are eliminated from the crew the average age is raised to 47.1 years.

"Turning to the 710 living athletes those who have passed 40 may be grouped thus:

"One hundred and thirteen men are between 40 and 49 years; 86 men are between 50 and 60 years; 22 men are between 60 and 69 years.

Heart Trouble Not True

"It is a widespread opinion that athletes are liable to heart trouble, but only two Yale men of these athletes considered have died from this cause. It would seem more significant that of the 51 deaths, 16 were due to lung affection, the sports engaged in being football six, rowing four, baseball two and track athletics four."

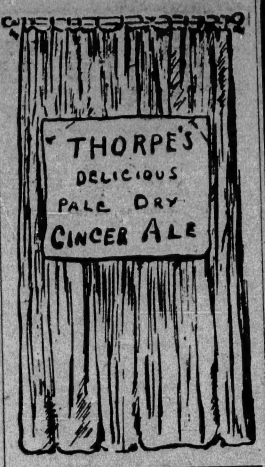
A life insurance expert is quoted with the opinion that college athletes, barring track men, show a better average expectation of long life than their non-athletic classmates.

The Yale News quotes a well known athletic authority as follows:

"Dr. Meylan has studied the invidual history of every oarsman graduated from Harvard in the period of 41 years, between 1852 and 1893. The results show that, combined with other men as to longevity of life, barring accidental deaths in the list, of more than five years longer than the average standards of the insurance mortality tables. Of the total number of 153 men whose records were traced, 123 were living in 1904. Not one death was in any way caused by over-exertion in athletics during college years, only two men having died of heart disease, and rowing was not blamed in these cases. Of the 32 oarsmen dead in more than a half century, six were killed in war, two by accidents and only one died of consumption."

JUNIOR SOCCER GAME POSTPONED

Owing to the fact that the junior soccer team selected to meet the Ladysmith challengers has been unable to get in any practices during the last week and are unprepared at present, the committee in charge has seen it fit to postpone the match from the 21st of this month to the 28th. Word to that effect was sent up the line yesterday. The local boys do not want to be taken unawares and are out to take the junior Island championship.





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CORNER GOVERNMENT AND JOHNSON STREETS

AT HALF TIME

That a Japanese baseball team is going to tour the United States this spring is the news brought by the steamer Hallamshire, which arrived from the Orient yesterday afternoon. The visitors will reach San Francisco in April and games will be played in Chicago, Boston, St. Louis, and other cities returning home either in September or October. The team will be composed of picked players from the Waseda and Keio Universities and other clubs.

His Worship Mayor Morley, as a result of the representations made by a committee consisting of A. J. Brace, Ed. Christopher, and Dan O'Sullivan, all of the B.C.A.A.U., has consented to present a cup for competition among those teams which participate in the re-organized island soccer league. It will known as the city of Victoria cup and will become the absolute property of any club winning it twice.

While there is a trophy available for the contemplated new island league, how the latter is going to develop it is hard to say. Possibly, in view of the fact that Ladysmith and Nanaimo have joined the Con Jones' organization of Vancouver, which is admittedly a pro outfit, Esquimalt, Victoria West, and the Foresters will withdraw from the parent body. If that happens then Mayor Morley's cup will be keenly fought for by a group of elevens which are well matched. In the event of the three local clubs mentioned remaining in the league as it stands the new trophy is not likely to provoke an exceedingly hot fight this season whatever may happen next year.

The department over which Game Warden Williams presides is doing good work in the protection and the propagation of British Columbia game. Of that there isn't the slightest doubt. There are more pheasants on Vancouver Island than there have ever been before. The importation of the Mongolian type certainly is improving the stock. It is true that there has been some difference of opinion among hunters as to the wisdom of some regulations which have been introduced in these parts as a result of his recommendation. Criticism for the main part has been confined to the efficacy of the law of last season in the safeguarding of the willow grouse—one of the most prized usually scarce last season, and doubtless, in the regulations of 1911 the suggestions made by the Vancouver Island Fish and Game club will be investigated and given the most careful consideration.

"Joe" Bayley's reputation as a boxer isn't confined to his native burg, Victoria, by any means. He is favorably known in Vancouver and other coast cities. On Thursday he will appear at the Terminal City against "Joe" Holland in a tournament which is being conducted under the auspices of the V.A.C. The sportsmen there are looking for a speedy and highly interesting "go"—in fact, it is staged as the star affair of the entertainment. Here is what the Vancouver World has to say about Bayley: "The local fans will have an opportunity to see one of the greatest little fighters of his weight on the coast in action. This is young 'Joe' Bayley, of Victoria. Bayley is well-known in this city, having defeated George Bright about two years ago, fighting at 110 lbs. Since that time Bayley has put on considerable weight, but this has not deprived him of his cleverness and 'Joe' considers himself so good that although fighting at 125 lbs., he was quite willing for Chet McIntyre to match him with the local club's best lightweight. McIntyre has a man at his weight who he thinks will make Bayley go the limit, in the person of 'Joe' Holland. On Holland's showing against Campbell at the last show staged by the V.A.C., Bayley will have his hands full unless he is simply a whirlwind.

Now there will be a race between yachts constructed under the Universal rating representing the United States and Canada at the next international regatta in this city. Any doubt that might have existed on this point has been dissipated in the light of recent developments. Definite announcements have been received of the construction of racers at Seattle and Vancouver. The local club also is in the ring. This will mean that there will have to be a preliminary between the boats of Victoria and Vancouver to decide which is entitled to meet the American craft for the cup, which is being presented by the home organization. That the difficulty which has been worrying yachtmen because of the dead lock over the Alexandra cup matter will be overcome in this way is a general source of gratification.

Y.M.C.A. BASKETBALL TEAM VICTORIOUS

The Shamrock basketball team went down to a decisive defeat at the hands of the Y.M.C.A., quintette Monday night to the score of 43-16. The Shamrocks have now lost the first game of the season, but as they played with several of their regular players off, better things are expected when they mix again. The Y.M.C.A. team played very fast and won the game on their superior ability in accurately handling the ball.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 17.—[illegible] Gotch is to get back into the wrestling game. Tonight he [illegible] Henry Ordemann in a [illegible] Convention hall here. [illegible] Hackenschmidt.

THE DEBATE CONTINUES

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My friend says further that we are giving the lands to speculators. I would advise him to desist from that position. He is following the course pursued, session after session, in this house by his former leader, the late member for Delta. I can still hear ringing in my ears his complaints about speculators and the nefarious policy of the government in parting with the land to the speculators. What does he mean by speculator? Does he mean to tell us we should pass legislation to keep from B. C. any man who has wealth and may come here for the purpose of securing Crown lands? I tell now, as I did frequently before, to understand what my friend means when he speaks of speculators. Now, as a good, sound Liberal, if he described those engaged in the Saskatchewan valley land deal as speculators, I could understand what he meant. As a good, faithful follower of Clifford Sifton, he could show us instances in which the Dominion goivernment forgot its duties, and dealt in wholesale fashion with speculators. We must remember this same gentleman has for years past supported a government that for years has given away to corporations large parts of the public domain for their own advantage.

Land Policy Results

We find within the past seven years that between one and three quarter million acres of land have been sold in this province, but not one acre has been sold to a colonization company. There are cases in which certain people have come in to secure large tracts of land; but the hon. gentleman knows that it would be impossible to legislate to preclude the purchase of land in large quantities, because if it could not be secured by direct means, there are other ways by which it could be secured. In the terms by which this one and three-quarter million acres of land have been acquired, there were no favorites. It mattered not whether a man were a Conservative, a Liberal or a Socialist—there were equal rights for all. There was no Saskatchewan government land deal in the affairs of this government. We have had scores upon scores of proposals from colonization companies who wished to acquire large areas in British Columbia for practically nominal sums, and side by side with these proposals to bring in a rural population. But we felt that if there was any work of colonization, we might better undertake it directly as a government than delegate it to any company. In this policy we had the endorsement of the country, and that the population of the districts has doubled within the last five years, with a prospect that this will be repeated in the five years to come, shows that it has been successful. Those who have bought land have been required to obey the terms of the law, and have been taxed on their holdings on the scale of the wild land tax, which is practically prohibitive if it is the intention of the holder not to sell for some years to come. Now the question is, What has become of these moneys? The purchase price and taxes have been paid into the consolidated revenues of the country, and are to be held for building roads and schools and keeping in right order the general business that falls to the provincial administration. (Prolonged applause.)

For the Pre-Emptor

"You say that we have been doing nothing for the pre-emptor. While the speculator has been purchasing upwards of one and three quarters of millions of acres, the pre-emptor has also been acquiring a like amount. And the pre-emptor has not been called upon to pay anything like the taxes to the Crown that my honorable friend opposite would have the House and country believe. The pre-emptor is exempt for two years from all taxation. After that, the exemptions provided for in the Assessment law are most generous, and I am very glad to be able to state that so far as the records show today we have not had one single complaint from the pre-emptors because of the enforcement of the Assessment law. I have here some statistics with reference to the settlement of the land. They show that the amount of land pre-empted in British Columbia since June 1903 was 1,892,460 acres. This is considerably more than the total area of Prince Edward Island, which is only 1,397,760 acres. The amount of land sold in this period was practically of about the same extent in acreage, or maybe a trifle more; but you must remember that when these pre-emptions take place and settlements occur consequent upon them, the task falls upon the government of building roads and bridges and of opening up the land in order that the people may have access to the markets. This entails a heavy expenditure, and it it were not for the $100,000 a year we secured from the Dominion, the task at one time might easily have proven too heavy for our finances. So long as we find pre-emptors taking up these large areas of Crown lands, I am quite satisfied that no harm will come to the country. So long as we are able to show a record of doubling the rural population in five years I think that we have a most enviable condition of affairs in this Province. The question may be asked what area of lands is there in British Columbia that can be used for agriculture? I am told on creditable authority that, exclusive of the lands held for timber, there are upwards of 29,000,000 acres in British Columbia available for occupation. Of course there is a large extent of this in the northern country, where nothing but mixed farming might be profitable, and where perhaps very little fruit growing could be done, but even if all allowances be made there, we are still safe in saying that there are upwards of 25,000,000 acres of valuable land exclusive of the timber land in the Province. Honorable gentlemen will be glad to learn that of this there are approximately 20,000,000 reserved for pre-emption at the present time. The government has attempted to carry out very extensive provincial surveys, so that the records of the Land Department might be of practical utility when searchers are looking for land. The government has even from time to time looked upon the expense of those surveys with some considerable concern. They undoubtedly have cost a great deal more than was originally expected. Nevertheless, we have persevered in this plan of systematic provincial surveys and today we have surveyed 796,000 acres of Crown land, every acre of which is reserved for the pre-emptor and the pre-emptor alone. Those who are interested may easily see at the Land Office where these surveys have been projected and where these reserves for pre-emptors have been placed. I think this is another evidence of the desire of the government to have the lands of the rural sections properly treated.

Immigration

"There has been some considerable agitation through different sections of the Province to have the government indulge in a very large and far-reaching policy of immigration. We have been urged to bring in people in almost wholesale quantity, primarily for the purpose of placing them on the land. We have been watching the situation very closely and have come to the determination that the proper thing to do in regard to the rural districts of the country is to take care not to have these settlements away from transportation and markets.

The government are of the opinion that if we are to attract immigration on a large scale, settlement must take place near railways or trunk roads or near markets. I believe today that if this government, by any extra means were to bring in large numbers of settlers and place them on these northern interior lands so far in advance of roads or other facilities of transport to market, in the end such a scheme could only bring about very dire results.

"We have the province at the present moment in excellent standing the world over. Every legitimate investment in British Columbia has now first call in the world's markets, and this may be mainly attributed to the fact that our development has progressed along very substantial lines. Nothing has been boomed, but everything in the work of development has been taken up in businesslike fashion. We want to progress along the same lines, and to live up to the reputation we have earned. We propose to continue the same policy, and indeed I am pleased to be able to say that in his plans for 1911 in regard to provincial surveys of pre-emption reserves, my colleague proposes to have surveys projected and completed along the line of the Canadian Northern Pacific and the Grand Trunk Pacific, and have these lands reserved for the pre-emptor, so that a man can go in and secure land where he can make his home, and I trust, his fortune. It is impossible to deal with land settlements in this province in the same wholesale way as is done in the prairie country. We cannot do it because of the configuration of the country, and because of all the obstacles to transportation that this configuration and other circumstances have placed in the way.

Much for Settlement

"My honorable friend has asked me what we are doing for land settlement? He will be surprised to find out what we are doing. We have 11,000 miles of trunk road that cost upwards of $6,000,000, and by far the greater part of these roads have been constructed solely and entirely for the benefit of the settlers in the rural districts. In addition we have built bridges that have cost approximately upwards of $3,000,000, and these also have been for the most part built for the purpose of developing the rural sections. We have also a department of agriculture, which has expended hundreds of thousands of dollars for the development of agriculture. Then, too, we have a very generous educational system. My friend, of course, finds fault with the policy of the government with regard to public schools. I do not propose to go into that at length. Suffice it to say that the law regarding education received the almost unanimous approval of the members of the legislature. Any additional tax has been more than paid back by the distribution of free school books. And the policy which the government has pursued in connection with the schools has been successful in every way. My friend wuld be quite willing to make the workingmen of the town pay so much per head for the schools while the man who did not live in town should go scot free. The government has not been willing to adopt such a policy as that. But I am glad to say that we find the greatest interest being taken in the public school system by the rural population, and the school law as it was amended by this government has been found successful and efficient. The provision made by the government for schools in the outlying districts is a most generous one, but this is simply one detail in the tremendous estimates which are passed, year after year, by this house in order to encourage settlement in the rural section.

"There is one aspect of the case that must be borne in mind. The first section of rural land affected by the construction of the C. P. R. is what is generally called the railway belt, a zone 40 miles wide from the Pacific seaboard to the summit of the Rockies. Unfortunately under the Terms of Union, this section passed from the authorit and jurisdiction of the local government, and was transferred to the Dominion, so that if there was any benefit to the treasury from the settlement of these lands it inured to the advantage not of the province, but of the Dominion.

Province Suffers

"As a result we had this alarming state of affairs that the Province with a population almost entirely confined to that section was building roads and trails and bridges within these confines, while every dollar from the sale of lands and timber went to the Dominion government. And the same state of affairs obtained right here on the Island. Of course there is the annual grant of $100,000 provided for it in the Terms of Union. But this has been far from meeting what had to be spent in these extensive districts. But while the Province undertook, for national reasons, to make this sacrifice in order to secure the completion of the Canadian Pacific Railway, it was compelled to expend very large sums in the development of this district in order to provide the people with what the conditions demanded. The action of the Government in connection with this matter I think speaks volumes for their faith in the future of their country. Of course, with the opening of the Kootenay and the development of the North, an economic situation resulted somewhat different from when we had been confined almost entirely to this economic one for revenue, but in reckoning up what the Province has done and is doing, the story would scarcely be complete without some references to what the Province did for those Dominion zones notwithstanding the fact that they had entirely gone from our possession. Although this was the position with regard to these zones, and although the government of Ottawa was getting all the financial benefit from them, while the Province was meeting the expense of development, it was nevertheless years before the Dominion government could be induced to think that they were justified in the publication of a pamphlet with regard to the railway belt lands of British Columbia. It was easy to get any amount of information about prairie lands and about No. 1 Hard wheat, but nothing about British Columbia. They did issue a pamphlet at last, but it was at the eleventh hour, almost a death-bed repentance, because while all the profits had gone to Ottawa the Province had stood by its task and done everything it could do to assist in developing those lands; and yet my friend, who holds up both hands for this Dominion government, can stand here, and solemnly affirm that the government of British Columbia has not done enough towards settling rural districts.

"My friend here talks of the conditions in Alberni and finds fault with his neighbors there who are able to sell their lands. Five or six years ago the papers were filled with the sales of lands for taxes, but now the owners are able to sell them and get a good profit. There is a heavy demand and the same condition with regard to the value of lands prevails all over British Columbia. Why should my friend complain if his neighbors are able to realize a reasonable profit?

"I do not claim that the work which this government has undertaken has been completed. Very far from it. There is still a great deal to do. But the government and the legislature of British Columbia will take hold of their task with the earnest intention and desire that our progress shall continue as it has for the last seven years. We are presently to meet with the Board of Trades of Victoria and a delegation from the Vancouver Island league to discuss these questions, and there is nothing gives th egovernment more pleasure than to meet these responsible commercial bodies and to investigate and consider these questions with them so that we may continue to do what is best for the development and prosperity of our Province."

Mr. McBride in conclusion referred to the work of the Forestry Commission, the Fire Insurance Commission, and the Commission for the Revision of the Statutes. He paid a high compliment to the work done by the gentlemen on these respective Commissions. As to the Forestry, he stated that no legislation would be pushed to completion this session. The proposals of the government will be circulated as widely as possible through the Province during the recess so that they may be considered and discussed by those interested, and then, in 1912, a law will be framed which may be to use the words of the member from Newcastle, "the last words in timber legislation." As to the revised Statutes they were now in the hands of the Premier and although they could not be printed in time for distribution, the Attorney-general would nevertheless bring down the amendments so that they can be put through this year and afterwards be printed. This course will save a year's time and there would be no difficulty in adopting it.

The adjournment of the debate was moved by Mr. Tisdall of Vancouver.

BURNS' PROTEGE WINS FROM "PETE" MULDOON

TACOMA, Jan. 17.—Jack Lester, the promising heavyweight managed by Tommy Burns, knocked out Pete Muldoon, of Seattle, in the third round of a ten-round bout before the biggest crowd that ever saw a contest in this city. The gong saved Muldoon in the second and third rounds when he was knocked down twelve times. Lester is to meet "Denver" Ed Martin here soon.

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Charles A. Wright, Young Electrician, Killed in Nanaimo Coal Mine—Native of Dundee, Scotland

NANAIMO, Jan. 17.—A fatal accident occurred in No. 1 mine yesterday, in which a young man named Chas. A. Wright was instantly killed.

Deceased was employed as an electrician, and together with a colleague was engaged in doing some repair work on No. 1 level. While thus employed the motor came along on one of its trips, and in some way Wright failed to get out of its way. The result was that he was caught by the motor and crushed up against the side of the level so badly that death was instantaneous.

Wright was 24 years of age, and a native of Dundee, Scotland.

Death of County Judge

SAULT STE MARIE, Ont., Jan. 17.—Judge Johnston, senior judge of the District of Algoma, died here today, aged 62. He was born in Goderich, studied in the law offices of the late Judge Snyder, of Hamilton, and practised in Goderich for 20 years with John Davidson, K. C. In 1890 he was made junior judge for Algoma.

Conditions Grow Worse

WASHINGTON Jan. 17—Conditions in the famine districts and refugee centers of the northern part of the province of Anhui, China, ar rapidly growing worse, according to a cable report received today from Shanghai by the American National Red Cross Society.

PANDORA STREET PROPERTY SOLD

Property Formerly Belonging To The Lowen Estate Changes Hands At A Good Figure

The old Lowen property, comprising 160 feet by 280 feet on Pandora avenue, adjoining the Congregational church on the north side of the street, was sold yesterday for a consideration somewhat over $60,000. Mr. A. W. Jones consummated the deal.

The market for outside and inside property keeps a steady pace, and each day transactions of larger magnitude are being put under way. Many other important deals are said to be impending.

PRESS GALLERY MEETS

Premier Promises Better Accommodation—Officers Are Elected

At the annual general meeting of the B.C. Parliamentary Press Gallery Monday, reorganization for the current year was accomplished and the following officers chosen: Honorary president, Hon. Richard McBride, (re-elected); honorary vice-presidents, Hon. Price Ellison and Hon. Dr. Young; president, James Morton, Vancouver News-Advertiser; vice-president, R. J. Hartley, Victoria Times; and secretary-treasurer, C. H. Gibbons.

In retiring from the presidency, Mr. Gibbons presented a resume of the Gallery's work during the past year, touching upon the success of the last session dinner of the Gallery and complimenting in connection therewith Mr. R. E. Gosnell, whose efficient supervision of all arrangements contributed in no small degree to the pronounced success of that function. Reference was also made to the arrangements made for the entertainment of the pressmen accompanying Sir Wilfrid Laurier during his visit to the Capital in August last, and to the intention of the Government to provide adequate and suitable press quarters in connection with the contemplated additions to the legislative wing of the Parliament Buildings, the retiring president urging that care be taken in the arrangement of such press rooms to provide for the demands of the province as it is to be in years to come, and not merely present requirements, and the suggestion being offered that a special committee from the Gallery be named to confer with Works Minister Taylor and the official architect in such arrangements. At the same time it was suggested that, with such provision of permanent headquarters for the press of the province, the time would seem ripe for developing the long-discussed idea of organizing a permanent association of active provincial pressmen.

The honorary president, Hon. Richard McBride, after expressing his pleasure at again meeting the members of the Gallery in annual session, said that he and his colleagues recognized that the fourth estate was almost a part of the Government and the Legislature, nor could they overestimate the importance of their work in purveying the news of the House to the country. Everyone recognized the fairness of the reports of the B.C. Gallery, and the records of the House for years past would show that the occasions when members had to refer to the Speaker for corrections in reports of their utterances were very few indeed, and the corrections sought had never been on matters of importance. Consistently with this acknewledgment the Gallery have already been told by Mr. Gibbons of the endeavor of the Government in the new wings to be added to the Parliament Buildings, to have proper quarters set aside for the accommodation of the gentlemen of the press. In doing so the Government would seek to secure as much privacy for them as was possible, with every facility for the prosecution of their work.

In reference to the entertainment given in Victoria to the pressmen who had accompanied Sir Wilfrid Laurier on his visit, he had been told by them and he had seen reports of theirs sent East, in which they said that they had received better treatment there than in any other part of the Dominion. This must certainly be regarded as most valuable testimony to this Province. In conclusion the Premier thanked the members of the Gallery very cordially for the honor they had done him in selecting him as their honorary president for several years past, but while he appreciated the honor he suggested at the same time that they should pass it around, as he was sure that any of his colleagues would be proud of selection to that position.

After the selection of the officers for the year as above mentioned, a special Gallery committee was named to confer with the Public Works Minister from time to time in reference to the new press accommodations at the buildings, this committee consisting of Messrs. Gibbons, Blakemore and McNamara (Vancouver Province), acting with the president. The proceedings terminated with the adoption of votes of thanks to the Premier and Mr. Gibbons, for their representation of the Gallery during Sir Wilfrid Laurier's visit, and also to Mr. R. E. Gosnell for his assistance in making last year's Gallery dinner the success that it was.

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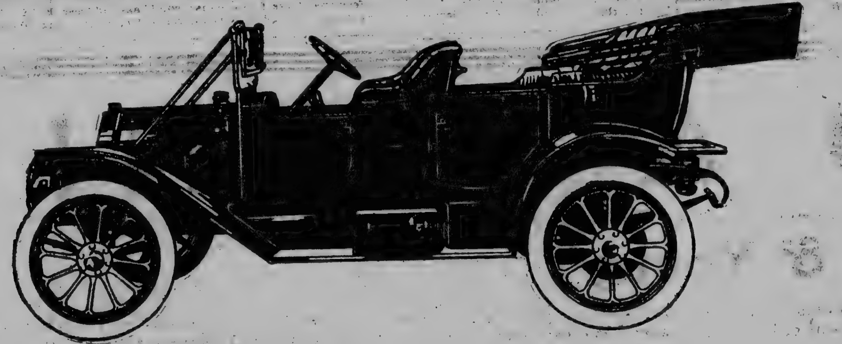
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AMUSEMENTS

New Grand Theatre.

Clara Rodgers' performance on the 'cello at the New Grand Theatre this week calls for special attention for it is far away above the regular line of musical offerings in vaudeville; in fact Miss Rogers will be notable in any musical combination organized. She plays two of her own compositions and in each shows the artistic touch and training and in the Toreador she gives a beautiful rendering of operatic air.

Mr. and Mrs. Keane are performing in "What Monely Couldn't Buy," the Mimic Four serve up a superlative dish of entertainment, Gertie VanDyke and Ray Fern get a big because they really earn it, and Nelson opens the bill thoroughly well by mystifying the audience and at the same time amusing it with juggling tricks

Romano Photoplay Theatre.

Manager Quagliotti has again secured some big features in the way of motion pictures, which will be exhibited at the above theatre today and tomorrow. At this time when all different nations are striving for supremacy in military power, the film showing the Italian Army is perhaps the most interesting. It shows the drills, and the famous one hundred horse of Italy, the finest trained troup of cavalry in the world. The balance of the programme is composed principally of comics and educational films, including the following: "Love Rivalry, "Motor Escapade," comedy, "Gathering Lemons," education, and "Sophies Victim," comedy. "The Tongue of Scandal," is a fine Vitragraph production. The Romano Orchestra will be heard in entirely new selections appropriate to the pictures.

Majestic Theatre.

There are three big features on the new bill tonight. The Biograph presents "The Golden Supper," a classic dramatisation of one of the Boccaccio stories and is beautifully portrayed. It relates the touching story of Camilla, the wife of Lionel, who is supposed to die and is visited in the crypt by Julian, a former admirer, thereupon he unexpectedly revives and is presented to her astounded husband at a golden supper by the rescuer. "The Girl Bandit," a melodramatic story of how a girl single-handed captured a noted desperado for whom a large reward had been offered. It has a swing and dash to it which makes it interesting, and this is enhanced by the setting, which is the beautiful outdoor scenery of Florida. "An Unexpected Friend," a tender bit from life, emphasizing the misfortune which sometimes seem to pursue the poor. "Floating to Wealth" is a novelty comedy picture, representing how Mr. Moneyless floats out of his home on the waves of the Paris flood into the home of a wealthy woman whom he marries, placing him forever above want. "Captain Binnacle's Chaperone" is a comedy drama depicting how an enterprising young lover outwits his intended father-in-law.

Jamison's Crystal Theatre.

Feature reels for today and tomorrow at the Crystal Theatre are "Bobsleighing in Moscow" and "Max Linder's Debut," both by the celebrated Pathe Frieres company. "Every Body Saves Father" and "The Only Girl in Camp," two comedies by Thanhauser, and "An Affair of Honor in the Italian Army." Thos. J. Price will be heard in illustrated song and the Crystal orchestra will play appropriate selections and overtures.

New Empress Theatre

The programme for above for Wednesday and Thursday includes a "Selig" picture entitled "The County Fair." The County Fair is as well known to the theatre-goers as "Rip Van Winkle," "Uncle Tom's Cabin" or "The Old Homestead." To the jaded brain-tired city man its story is as sweet as a breath of new mown hay or the scent of sweet clover. A Vitagraph, "Saved by a Flag," a Kalem entitled "The Wanderers," are two of exceptional merit and a fine full reel Pather Frere hand colored picture "His Life for His Queen" is an historical drama of absorbing interest. It may have been noticed that the above theatre have succeeded in adding to their lists of pictures, those of the world famous makers "Edison" together with the rest of the makers. This theatre prides itself on the fact that the pictures shown are unbeatable, and are positively the pick of the film market. In referring again to the great Selig, "The County Fair," lover of fine pictures should certainly not miss this one, as it is well known that the "New Empress," when specialising a feature film, always refrains from doing so, excepting in positively genuine instances.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

What's In a Name?

Sir,—It seems droll that Capt. Wolley should have difficulty in finding a suitable name for the Old Country seeing that "Britain" is acceptable to Welsh, Irish who are loyal to the Empire, Scotch, and fair-minded English. Be it once more stated that the grand old name England when applied to Britain is (1) an undeserved offence to Scots-people (2) a breach of treaty, and (3) counterfeit currency. The main obstruction to true imperialism is undue particularism. Edward Longshanks and George the Third were imperialists of a sort, and their spirit has not quite evaporated. Capt. Wolley may in time perceive that if to him as an Englishman the name of England is rightly sacred, and that of Ireland, Canada, or Scotland is rather less so, yet in the hearts of Irishmen, Canadians or Scots it is exactly the other way about. Reasonable particularism, that is, local patriotism, is one of the strongest elements in patriotism. It is the unreasonable kind that does harm by jarring on other people's feelings. The object of Captain Wolley's propaganda is admirable, and this criticism is intended to be friendly.

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Ground In Seattle Cleared By Dismissal Of Injunction Suits Mr. Gill Wants Joint Election Debates

SEATTLE, Jan. 17.—With the dismissal of the injunction suits in the federal court today, the legal entanglements involving the recall election, February 7, were swept away, and the campaign against Mayor Hiram C. Gill was begun in earnest.

George W. Dilling, who has been selected by the Public Welfare League to make the race against Mayor Gill, completed the organization of his campaign committee, and made public his platform. In his announcement Mr. Dilling said: "If I am elected mayor it shall be my object to the best of my ability to enforce the laws and see that the city is efficiently policed so that this will be a decent, clean and orderly city in which to live. I shall under no circumstances countenance or encourage infractions or evasions of the law. I cannot hope to bring about ideal conditions, but I feel quite sure that I can effect a vast improvement over present conditions. The executive has no right to have a policy on any subject that runs counter to the statutes of the state and the ordinances of the city."

Mr. Dilling also pledges himself to develop the municipal light and power plant to its full capacity.

Mayor Hiram C. Gill wants a joint debate with George W. Dilling, reform candidate for mayor. The candidate of the welfare league contends that the issue before the people is the question of public decency and moral welfare of the city, and that the Gill forces are trying to dodge that issue by submitting a large number of questions for consideration.

"I had hoped that Mr. Dilling and I could fight it out face to face," said Mayor Gill. "A few days ago, he was asking for a whirlwind campaign. I propose to give it to him, if he will face the music. If he will meet me in joint debate, I will hire the hall and pay all the expenses of publicity. Dilling will meet me unless he is a coward."

Murdered Man's Money

BERLIN, Ont., Jan. 17.—Whatever sum of money was secured by the murderers of Frank Lobinski, they did not get all the old man's wealth. Yesterday Constable Hubert found two tin boxes containing 25 and 50 cents silver pieces and a few United States dollars. One of these was in the hayloft, and the other in the drive shed. These boxes are tobacco tins and contain a fairly good sum, but the exact amount has not been counted up. Mr. Leys, a neighbor, who some times assisted the old man in his money affairs, Lobinski being unable to write, states that he had as much as $500 in the house, but other sums were kept elsewhere.

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SEATTLE, Jan. 14.—Plans for outfitting the fleet of the Northwestern Fisheries company are now being carried out to make the vessels ready for service by the middle of March. The preparation of the fleet involves the expenditure of half a million dollars, while the payroll of the nine operating plants and fleet brings the total expenditure close to a million dollars. This expenditure is richly repaid by the summer's pack of Alaska salmon.

Ships Guy C. Goss, J. D. Peters, A. J. Fuller, Benjamin F. Peckard, Harvester and St. Paul will comprise the summer fleet for the fisheries. Cannery tender Shelikoff, to be stationed at Uyak, is the only steam tender of the old fleet to go north this year.

The Northwestern Fisheries is now having built at Hall Bros.' yard at Eagle Harbor a new stern wheel tender to be used on the Copper river flats. This vessel, which will cost $28,000, will be 150 feet long and of about 150 tons. The steamboat is promised for delivery by the middle of March. The company is also seeking to charter two more steam cannery tenders.

The Northwestern company, in its fisheries business, employs 1,200 persons during the summer. Of this number, about 500 are Japanese and Chinese. Contracts have already been made for the supply of this labor. The Orientals will be taken north on the various sailing ships, which will leave the Sound between the middle of March and the middle of April.

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On the Waterfront

HALLAMSHIRE WAS DAMAGED

Weir Liner Had Bulwarks Broken By Heavy Sea During Gale Encountered On Way From Japan

BROUGHT NEWS BUDGET FROM ORIENT

Pathetic Incident Of Trial Of Anarchists Accused Of Plot Against Emperor — Attack On United States Consul

Five days out from Yokohama the steamer Hallamshire of the Weir line, which reached port yesterday morning with 6,000 tons of general cargo, encountered a heavy gale, a storm of such violence that it ranked as No. 10 or 11 in the Beaufort scale, with mountainous seas and the decks were swept by sea after sea, the steamer rolling considerably. The starboard bulwarks were crushed and bent, the stanchions being crumpled. Soon after leaving Yokohama a northwesterly gale with increasing wind was encountered continuing for the first two days and then heavy snow squalls with high wind were encountered, increasing the next two days to a full gale. Great seas rolled the steamer next day and then light and fine weather set in, but continued but for one day and another gale with heavy squalls was encountered. After crossing the meridian the ninth day out moderate gales were encountered and much fog, and nearing the coast strong south and southeasterly gales prevailed with high seas and light rain, sleet and snow.

The Hallamshire had no passengers and brought 6,000 tons of silk, rice, tea, matting and the usual Chinese and Japanese merchandise. From Manila she had a large hemp shipment. After landing 200 tons of general freight here the steamer proceeded to Vancouver.

Capt. G. E. Elliott, master of the Hallamshire, was formerly in command of the Breconshire which ran between Victoria and the Orient some years ago in the Dodwell line. He expects to leave the vessel after she discharges her cargo on the Sound and proceed to England. The Hallamshire has a full crew of white men with one exception, a Chinese supercargo placed on board by the charterers. The steamer has previously been engaged trading between Great Brittain and the Antipodes.

The Socialist Trial

The trial of Kotuku Denjiro and the 26 other socialists charged with plotting against the Emperor's life was completed at Tokyo just prior to the sailing of the Hallamshire and it was expected that the death sentence would be passed. The Tokyo Asahi tells a pathetic story in connection with the trial. Kotuku's mother, aged seventy, came from her native province of Tosa to see her son and shortly before the close of the trial she was permitted to interview the socialist leader in the presence of the prison authorities. The old woman addressed her son stoically and urged him to face death like a samurai. The interview was most brief, being confined to a statement of the request to her son to be brave. He did not reply. The mother returned home and two days after her arrival she died. After the final hearing in court a telegram was shown Kotuku telling him of his mother's death.

Attacked U. S. Consul

Details were brought by the Hallamshire regarding the savage assault on United States vice-consul Williamson at Dalny, Manchuria, by Japanese on December 23rd, briefly reported to Washington. Mr. Williamson went to inspect the fish market recently opened by Japanese at Dalny and was standing watching an auction sale from a high stand when a number of Japanese and Chinese fishmongers pushed into the market. Mr. Williamson was jostled and was almost pushed off the stand. He was straightening himself up in the crush when some Japanese, including the secretary and a clerk of the market, began scolding him for being there, at the same time pushing their way toward him and seizing him by the arms and pulling him off the stand. Mr. Williamson speaks fluent Japanese and asked why it was wrong for him to watch the sale, stating that he would leave if they gave him a reason. Then the Japanese rushed at him. He pushed one of them over in self defence, and the crowd rushed at him, both Japanese and Chinese attacking him. A Japanese thrust at him with a bamboo pole wounding him on the chin, another threw a block of ice which cut his head open, and blood flowed freely from both cuts. With blood flowing down and staining his clothing the vice consul made his way to a police station half a block distant and some Japanese policement accompanied him back to the market where the two Japanese who first attacked him were found. He asked that they be taken to the police station. The Japanese told the police that they had important business and refused to go and the police said they could not force them. Mr. Williamson then returned to the Consulate and went to the Yamato hotel in a carriage to have his wounds dressed by a British physician visiting there. He then made an indignant protest to the Japanese Administrator at Dalny and sent telegrams and letters to Tokyo and Washington reporting the assault.

Attack Lady

Several Japanese newspapers comment on the affair, as well as on an attack made about the same time on Miss Hayes, an American lady, at Yokohama by a Japanese newspaper reporter who struck her violently about the head several times without apparent cause. One Japanese newspaper says it is to be regretted that such incidents indicate hostility against foreigners. Regarding the attack on Vice Consul Williamson the Kobe Herald says: "From messages received by the Osaka Mainichi and Asahi it is evident that no official statement will be made at present. The accounts received by Japanese papers are however sufficient to prevent the matter being allowed to rest, and prompt measures should be made by the authorities to bring the assailants to justice."

Diet's Important Session

According to advices received by the Hallamshire the session of the Diet which resumes on Friday will be most important, perhaps sensational. Prominent among the questions are the tariff revision, proposed increase of the navy, readjustment of the income tax, withdrawal of the government promise not to issue national loan bonds, proposal to broaden the guage of Japanese railroads, and other questions, all of which are likely to lead to heated debates. The Kokumin, a semi-official paper, says the losses because of the floods, the annexation of Korea, proposed naval increases and railroad improvements, will inevitably increase the national expenditure to a great extent and many fear that the financial status of the nation may be endangered.

Coal For Mexico

The British steamers M. S. Dollar, of Victoria, has been ordered from San Francisco to Puget Sound to load a cargo of coal for Mexico, part of 28,000 tons, which the Dollar line has contracted to deliver in Mexico.

Leaves Hongkong.

R. M. S. Empress of India left Hongkong on Saturday on her way to this port via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama. The C. P. R. liner is due here February 3rd.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

By Government Wireless.

6 p. m.

Point Grey—Cloudy; S. E. wind, 29.09; 46; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; N. W. wind; 29.92; 31; sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; S. E. wind; 16 miles; 29.72; 42; sea smooth.

In, schooner Dee 10.45 p. m.

In, schooner Hanley, 2.20 p. m.

In, barkentine Archer towing, 3.20 p. m. Out, U. S. S. America, 5.10 p. m. Outside bound in, barkentine Winkleman.

Triangle—Snowing; easterly wind; 50 miles; 29.53; heavy swell, spoke Prince George northbound in Dixon's entrance.

Ikeda—S. W. wind, light; 29.42; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Overcast; N. W. wind, 29.56; 56; sea moderate.

Pachena—Drizzling; S. W. wind, 29.46; 45; sea smooth. Spoke steamer Tees eastbound 5.30 p. m.

8 a. m.

Point Grey—Rain; S. E. breeze; 29.70; 42.

Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 29.52; 32; sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; wind S. E. 10 miles; 29.78; 45; out, 2-mast steamer on other side, at 11 p. m.; inside bound out, 2-mast steam schooner, schooner Alert in Callam Bay at 2 a. m.; schooner Irwin anchored in Neah Bay during night; in, steamer Watson during night.

Estevan—Cloudy; wind S. E.; 29.41; 36; sea rough.

Triangle—Overcast; squally; wind E.; 29.66; 28; sea moderate.

Ikeda—Cloudy; wind S. E., light; 29.42; 29; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; wind S. E., strong; 29.34; sea moderate.

Noon.

Point Grey—Overcast; wind S. E., light; 29.79; 44.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; wind S. E.; 29.78; 39; sea smooth.

Tatoosh—Cloudy; wind S. E. 14 miles; 29.83; 42; sea moderate. Out, two-mast schooner Jephou at 8 a. m.; out, barquentine Irwin at 10 a. m., outside bound n. steam schooner; Tees passed Clayoquot at 1 p. m., west bound.

Pachena—Cloudy; wind S. E.; 29.44; 42. Two small fishing schooners passed here westbound at 11.55 a. m.

Estevan—Cloudy; wind S. E.; 29.58; 42; sea moderate.

Triangle—Overcast; squally; wind E.; 29.24; 68; light swell.

Ikeda—Cloudy; wind S. W.; 29.45; 35; sea moderate.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; wind S. E.; light; 29.44; 44; sea moderate.

HONOLULU TRIP IS ABANDONED

Prince Rupert Will Not Make Run To Hawaiian Islands Next Month—Few Sought Passage To The Islands

The steamer Prince Rupert will not go to the Hawaiian Islands. The promoters of the excursion to Honolulu did not find passengers coming forward in sufficient numbers to guarantee the success of the enterprise, and the option for the charter of the steamer from the Grand Trunk Pacific has not been taken up. The Prince Rupert is lying at the company's wharf in the inner harbor, where repairs are being made. A cold storage equipment is being put in, some of the cabins are being converted into suites, cabins are being redecorated, bathrooms are being remodelled, and the steamer is being generally overhauled. She was to have sailed from here on February 2nd for Honolulu, but now that the proposed excursion is off will remain here laid up until the spring, when she will re-enter the northern service, again alternating with the Prince George on the Seattle, Victoria, Vancouver, Prince Rupert and Stewart run.

NEW BOILERS FOR THE CHARMER

Commercial Iron Works of Seattle Building Boilers For Local Steamer

Two new boilers for the steamer Charmer of the C. P. R. Steamship Company, have been ordered from the Commercial Boiler Works of Seattle. It is improbable that the Charmer will go to the Sound to receive the boilers as there are prospective actions hanging over the steamer dating back through the years on account of her collision with the steamer Willamette, now the Montara in 1892. The boilers will probably be shipped to Victoria and installed here. Work on them has begun at Seattle. Four died and several were injured as a result of the ramming of the Charmer, then known as the Premier, by the Willamette. The Premier was beached at Bush Point in 24 feet of water, and Capt. John Irving, then commodore of the C. P. N. Co., went over and raised the vessel, and brought her to Victoria before she could be attached much to the chagrin of attorneys retained by relatives of victims of the disaster, who had been awaiting the appearance of the Charmer above water to institute proceedings against her. The Charmer, as she was renamed, never went back to United States waters, and on more than one occasion efforts have been made to have the vessel taken back to the jurisdiction of the Sound courts without result. The Charmer is to be thoroughly repaired, and will be used as an extra steamer in the local company's fleet.

INGENUITY OF STEAMER'S ENGINEERS

Made Propeller From Stokehold And Engineroom Doors, But Vessel Had To Be Abandoned

The ingenuity of marine engineers was shown to advantage when the steamer St. Leonards, a vessel of 4,255 tons, was wrecked. The steamer en route from the Tyne to Galveston was abandoned in the Atlantic. When she was twelve days out the propeller fell off, and the vessel was left helpless in a rough sea. Sails were rigged up, but the ship refused to answer her helm owing to water entering through the tunnel where the propeller shafting had collapsed.

The four engineers then contrived to construct a sort of two-bladed propeller out of the stokehold and engineroom doors a work which lasted several days, but it was found impossible to fix the makeshift owing to the way the ship rolled.

To raise the stern of the vessel, in order that the extemporised propeller should be fixed, No. 1 hold was filled with water, but owing to the heavy rolling of the vessel the work could not be done.

The vessel now listed badly, and was frequently on her broadside, when the Italian ship Lazro came in sight, and took off the crew, who were in a very exhausted state. They were taken to St Michaels, afterwards to Gibraltar, and then to England. Most of them belong to Liverpool.

TASMANIAN TO RUN TO SOOKE

Will Be Hauled Out Today At Turpel's To Make Ready For Service From Victoria To Nearby Port

A steamship service has been arranged between Victoria and Sooke. The steamer Tasmanian will be hauled out on the ways of Turpel's yards today to be surveyed and thoroughly overhauled prior to inaugurating the new service between this city and Sooke. The British Columbia Shipping Company, Ltd., recently formed in Victoria to carry on a general coastwise shipping business, have decided to establish the proposed service. The Tasmanian will be under the management of Captains James and Jarvis, who will carry out the survey of the vessel and arrange for the repairs and improvements. The Tasmanian is a twin screw steamer of composite build with a speed of ten knots an hour. She has a length of 70 feet, and beam of 11 feet, and is equipped with comfortable accommodation for passengers. Arrangements will be made for the transportation of both passengers and freight between Victoria and Sooke.

Vadso Sails Thursday.

Steamer Vadso of the Boscowitz The meeting is called for 4 o'clock steamship company will sail tonight for northern B. C. ports.

Starts Next Week

The steamer Princess Adelaide will be hauled out at Esquimalt before the end of the week and is expected to be ready to start service on the Victoria-Vancouver route next week, relieving the steamer Princess Royal.

Year's Toll Heavy

The Railway and Marine News prints a long list of the vessels which met disaster or accident last year. The long list shows the loss of fewer lives than during the previous year and a property loss of about two million dollars. Sixteen vessels were lost in Alaskan waters.

The greatest mystery of Pacific coast shipping last year was the loss of the crew of the American schooner Susie M. Plummer, which sailed from Everett for San Pedro in December with lumber. The wateriogged vessel, with not a soul on board, was picked up on this coast about two weeks later, but no news has ever been received from those on board. A majority of the shipping men contend that they were lost. Others insist that the missing crew might have been picked up by a passing vessel.

AWA MARU IS DELAYED HERE

Damaged Propeller When Coming Into Port And Was Detained Till Today—Missionaries For Orient

The steamer Awa Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line, which was to have sailed for the Orient yesterday afternoon, struck a log when nearing the outer wharf and damaged her propeller. As a result the steamer has been delayed and will not get away until today. Diver da Costa made a descent to examine the injured propeller. It was not known last night whether it would be necessary to make repairs.

The Awa Maru has a large cargo, over five thousand tons of wheat, flour, cotton, machinery and general freight. She has eleven passengers, including a party of missionaries from Toronto who embarked at this port. Rev. A. H. Barker and wife and Miss Adair were booked to Kobe, Japan, and Misses Ratchiff, McIntosh and Sloan were booked to Shanghai, en route to the interior of China. Two Hindus and seven Japanese were also embarked here and from Seattle there were five saloon, three second class and 27 steerage. Among the steerage passengers was a Japanese woman who came from Yokohama by the steamer to wed a Japanese, resident at Seattle. She found on arrival that the intended husband had left for Japan, and she was ordered deported by the immigration authorities.

The steamer Sado Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line, which left Yokohama on January 4th, is expected in port tomorrow, with a fair complement of passengers and a good cargo, including 270 tons for discharge at the outer wharf.

Cruiser Goes to Honduras

KINGTSON, Jamaica, Jan. 17.—The British protected cruiser Brilliant sailed today from this port on hurry orders for Honduran waters. The latest reports regarding the seriousness of the revolt made the presence of a British warship necessary for the protection of British interests in that republic.

AFTER HARD TRIP

Professor J. M. Macoun and Companions Reach Winnipeg From Hudson Bay Country

WINNIPEG, Jan. 17.—Prof. J. M. Macoun and fifteen scientists who have been on a geological survey in the Hudson Bay country, arrived here today after a trip of extreme hardship. They walked 1,100 miles with the temperature sixty degrees below zero.

Captain Harold Bartlett, of the wrecked schooner Jeanie, a brother of the commander of the steamer Roosevelt, of the Peary polar expedition, and his crew accompanied the party here.

Their vessel was dashed on the rocks in Hudson Bay last September in a violent storm. The party, for whom grave fears had been entertained for several months, reached Fort Churchill about December 1st.

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ARGUING CASE OF STANDARD OIL

Corporation's Side Of Controversy Is Concluded By Attorney Johnson — Contends There Is No Monopoly

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—John G. Johnson, leading counsel for the Standard Oil organization, concluded today the long oral argument before the federal supreme court on the proposed dissolution of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey for violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

In contrast with Mr. Johnson's effort was the plain summary of the government's side of the case by Attorney General Wickersham, who spoke just before Mr. Johnson. Many Washingtonians listened to the final arguments, including Mrs. Taft, who sat within the bar of the court in a seat of honor.

"Nowadays, we hear a great deal of what art stigmatized as 'reactionary courts,'" said Mr. Johnson at the close of his address, "by which I understand the court that go to the statutes as printed and to the volumes of decisions by which the law is settled, and not to the files of newspapers or to the speeches of oratorical demagogues.

"In a moment of hysterical contemplation of the sins of others—for we are never apt to exaggerate our own—we are likely to mistake their extent and the remedy to be applied. In the case of these large corporations the need is not for their extirpation.

"By their mere largeness the country does not suffer. Without these corporations prices would be higher; hundreds of millions of men would be deprived of employment, and our foreign trade—more and more dependent upon our manufacturers because of the alarming increase of growth of the population which consumes our agricultural products—would be destroyed. We should have no chance in the competition of the world for trade with a rival like Germany, the most intelligent of them all, which by settled legislation fosters the combinations which you are asked to condemn as criminal."

Mr. Johnson replied to the warning of Mr. Kellogg that unless the Sherman law were enforced the Standard would drive all independents out of business within five years.

"Mr. Kellogg need not fear any overfondness for these corporations by judges," said Mr. Johnson, "and he hardly need lose any sleep over their receiving any favors from juries.

"Let the channels of commerce be open for all who may desire to enter, whether with ocean steamer or dugout, with Rockefeller's wealth or with naught but their brains and their hands, unfettered by their own improper restraints and uninterfered with by the abuse of others; and all will have been done that is wise."

Mr. Johnson told the court that it was significant that the government had to go back over some forty years to get evidence to "stir up the necessary indignation" for the support of their case.

An attempt to "give a little color," had been made, said Mr. Johnson, by the government saying that 114 companies were in the corporation.

"Mr. Kellogg forgot to say that forty-nine were organized in foreign countries," added Mr. Johnson. "Sixteen were not included in the bills and fourteen others were discharged."

"The acquisition, in the course of conducting business, of competitors, was not in restraint of trade, nor tending toward monopoly," Mr. Johnson argued. "Monopolizing is the exclusion of others from their business," he declared.

Fire In Tacoma

TACOMA, Jan. 17.—Fire tonight completely destroyed the fertilizing plant of the Carstens Packing Company, of this city, the loss being estimated at $50,000. The operation of the main plant will not be stopped.

DISASTER TO FISHING VESSEL

Halibut Craft With Five Men Is Lost—Steamer St. George Much Overdue In Lynn Canal

JUNEAU, Alaska, Jan. 17.—Indians arriving today from the lower end of Douglas Island report a jigger mast schooner pounding the pier at a fishing camp. The description given by the Indians indicates that the vessel is either the Director or the Louise, halibut fishing boats carrying five men. Owing to the severe storm that is raging, it is impossible for small boats to venture to the rescue. Word of the schooner's mishap has been sent to the revenue cutter Rush, stationed at Sitka.

The storm which began Sunday has driven all but the largest vessels to shelter. The steamer St. George left here Friday, en route to Skagway, and has not been reported since.

Advices from Lynn Canal, through which the St. George was bound, report an eighty mile gale Sunday night.

SEATTLE, Jan. 17.—Local shipping men believe that the schooner reported lost by Indians arriving at Juneau today is the Director, a gasoline schooner of 12 tons net. The schooner is in command of Captain George Pendleton. His crew was picked up at Juneau. Both the Director and the Louise are owned in Seattle and have been fishing in Southeastern Alaska waters several months. The Louise is a schooner rigged boat, but the Director has only the jigger mast, and corresponds more closely to the description given by the Indians. The Louise is a gas boat of 16 net tons, in command of Captain Ole Tunneson. Each vessel is valued at $5,000.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Arrived: steamers Nehale, Astoria; Norwood, Gray's Harbor; Queen, Victoria. Sailed: steamers Mayfair, Willapa, Asuncion, schoner Virginia, Astoria; Atlas towing barge 93, Seattle; Centralia, Gray's Harbor; Falls of Nith, Melbourne, via Tacoma.

SEATTLE, Jan. 17.—Arrived: steamer Jefferson, Skagway; steamer Buckman, San Francisco; steamer City of Puebla, Vancouver. Sailed: steamer Northland, Sitka; steamer Awa Maru Yokohama; steamer Heather, Astoria; steamer Armeria, Port Townsend; steamers Quito, Bertha, Buckman and Elsa, Tacoma.

HONGKONG, Jan. 17.—Arrived: Lucerie, New York for Puget Sound. Sailed: Empress of China, Vancouver.

TACOMA, Jan. 17.—Arrived: British steamer Quito, Seattle; steamer Buckman, Bertha, City of Puebla, Norwegian steamer Elsa, Seattle. Sailed: steamer Bertha, Seattle.

PORTLAND, Jan. 17.—Arrived: steamer Thos. L. Wand, San Francisco. Sailed: British bark Inverness, Queenstown or Falmouth; steamers Westerner San Francisco; Bear, San Pedro and San Francisco; Breakwater, Coos Bay; power schooner Anvil, Bandon.

WORLD SCANDAL

Situation Of Jews In Russia Set Forth By Speaker At American Hebrew Gathering

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—"American Judaism, with its progress and hopes," was the chief theme at the opening session today of the Twenty-second Annual Council of the Union of American Hebrew Congregatons.

At tonight's service in Temple Emanuel, Lucius L. Solomons, of San Francisco, who after touching on immigration problems and what he styled "sub-conscious prejudice in this country against the Hebrew," turned to the old world. "The situation of the Jew is Russia," he said, "is no longer a Russian infamy. It is a world scandal, of which civilization itself must be the tribune of conscience. It is not a Jewish question; it is a question of humanity, and it ought to be a Christian question if Christianity means what we are told it does.

"If modern civilization did its duty, Russia would have no friends today among the nations of the world. Here, then, is the fight of the future; our fight in America, our fight in all enlightened lands.

"Not Zionism, not territorialism, not colonization, not emigration, can solve the problem of the Russian Jew."

Probable Suicide

SALINAS, Calif., Jan. 17.—The body of a well dressed man about 55 years old was found near Moss Landing today with a bullet hole through the temple. He had been dead several days. A revolver lay beside the corpse. No means of identification were found on the body.

U. S. Military Expenditure.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The spectre of war stalked in the House today, but its appearance was for the purpose of permitting wholesale flaying of military critics and of furnishing a reason for liberality in appropriations. The army appropriation bill, carrying appropriation approximately of $93,000,000 was under discussion and finally was passed, after a debate on the military preparations of the nation, the future of aeroplanes, which won an appropriation of $25,000, a tribute to the value of the national guard and an appropriation of $770,000 for the field artillery for the organized militia. This involved, according to Representative Evans of Minnesota, a plan that would require $30,000,000 to fully carry out.

Havana's Aviation Week

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—It is announced here that Havana's aviation week will begin on January 29. Prizes aggregating nearly $50,000 will be distributed.

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LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

Court of Appeal

McClay v. McLuckie: Appeal by plaintiff, a sub-contractor from a judgment of Murphy, J.), against the principal contractor in connection with the construction of the Normal school at Vancouver. On the 14th of July, 1908, the plaintiff induced the defendant to tender for the contract, with the idea that if the defendant was awarded the contract, he, plaintiff, was to have that portion of it relating to the preparation and supplying of the stone work. At the time of submitting the tender, plaintiff furnished an itemised estimate of the cost of all the different branches of the work, which estimate was the basis of the figures in the defendant's tender. The item for stonework and masonry was set out at $18,000, which was to include the setting of the stone in place in the building, the work to be done by defendant, and charged up against the $18,000.

The government contract was awarded on the 22nd July, and the plaintiff immediately started to get out the stone for the building. On the 8th September the plaintiff wrote the defendant stating he would do the cut stone work for $13,000, which he contends is the contract; this the defendant denies, as if this were so—the plaintiff would be entitled to $13,000 for cut stone, etc., as he says the trimmings and the rest of the building at cost, which would bring the account up to some $18,000 odd—without the building-in. The defendant says the contract was made in July, when the government contract was let—i. e., $18,000 to cover the cost of the stone and the building-in.

At the trial the judge found that a contract was made at the time of the commencement of the work, and from the judgment the plaintiff appealed.

The appeal was dismissed. Bloomfield and F. A. Jackson, for appellants; Senkler, K. C., and Spinks, for respondent.

Krzus v. Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, Limited: Appeal from a decision of Clement, J., in a case stated to him by Wilson, Co. J., under the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1902, paragraph 4 of the second schedule.

The deceased, a workman employed by the respondents, was killed as the result of an accident arising out of and in the course of his employment, and the applicant applied for compensation under the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Act on behalf of the widow, Yuiyernua Krzus, who resided at the time of the accident, and still resides at Nico Wiprez No. 84 C. F. Eynpiec, in the Empire of Austria, outside of the province of British Columbia, and who is not a British subject.

The questions asked by Wilson, Co. J. were: (1), Can the applicant, who is the legal personal representative of the deceased workman, and who was a resident in the province of British Columbia, obtain an award for compensation under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1902, the dependant of the deceased being an alien residing in a foreign country at the time of the accident, out of which the claim for compensation arose, and at the time of the death of the deceased workman and ever since? (2) ,Can such legal personal representative in such circumstances enforce payment to him of compensation so awarded by an action on the award; (3). Can such legal personal representative in such circumstances enforce payment of the award pursuant to Section 8 of the second schedule of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1902?

Clement, J. answered the first question in the affirmative, and expressed no opinion on the remaining two questions.

Argument was concluded and judgment reserved. Davis, K. C., in support of the appeal; S. S. Taylor, K. C and Craig for respondent.

Rex v. Kinman: Appeal by way of case stated, from McInnes, Co. J., who convicted the accused of assault. The appeal arises out of the dispute between the city of Vancouver and Theodore Ludgate for the possession of Deadman's Island last June. Accused was in possession of the island, with a gang of men, intended to prepare the ground for the erection of a mill, when a number of policemen in uniform, sixteen, landed from a boat, and arrested him on a warrant He went with some of the officers leaving his men on the island. The charge on which he was arrested was dismissed by the magistrate, and on his return to the island he found his men had been driven off by the constables and he himself was advanced upon by three of them, presumably to be put off as his men had been. He cautioned the officers to leave him alone, and as they persisted in approaching him he struck one of them with a stick, which he had cut to defend himself against any such contingency. The constables then desisted from their purpose, and he was subsequently charged and convicted of assault by McInnes, Co. J.

The appeal is now being argued. Davis, K. C., for the accused; Maclean, K. C., for the Crown

Before Young, Co. J.

Rex v. Popovitch.—Appeal from a conviction by the police magistrate for selling liquor to a minor. It developed that the magistrate had been served with notice of the appeal, but that the real respondent, that is the officer on whose information and complaint the conviction had been had, was not served. His honor, therefore, held that the appeal had not been properly brought.

Fell for the appeal; C. L Harrison contra.

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The 'Old Boys' banquet at the Empress Hotel next Saturday (the 21st), will be a great gathering of the clans from the public schools of the old country. Between 150 to 200 'old boys' of British public schools will meet at 7.30, and dine under the genial presidency of Lieut.-Colonel the Hon. E. G. Prior (formerly of Leeds Grammar school). It is hoped that every old public school boy from the old country will make a special effort to attend this function. Such should write at once for a ticket to one of the following gentlemen: A. R. Bromley, Union Club, Victoria; A. Sherwood, Northern Crown Bank building, Government street; C. St. Barbe, Baimoral Hotel; or H. Sheridan Bickers, "Daily Colonist." Tickets may also be obtained from any of the active committee, whose names have already been published. The dinner tickets are two and a half dollars each and besides the soiree, there will be an informal sing-song. All whose friends think they can sing may bring their music and compete. The hotel is fuly insured. Meanwhile the "old boy" who can come, and doesn't send for a ticket before Friday morning had better write right now or forever hold his peace. There will be a jolly long evening and a jolly short toast-list. (Loud cheers). The chief, indeed the only "official" toasts will be "The King," "Our Schools," "The United Services," and "The Land We Live in."

Among the probable starters in the Speaker's stakes, besides the popular Chairman, will be Colonel Wadmore, D.O.C.; W. H. Hayward, M.P.P.; H. B. Thomson, M.P.P.; Captain Phillip Woolley; Dr. Hasell, W. Blakemore, and other well-known citizens who understand the "Soul of Wit."

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for a private bill incorporating a company to be known as the British Pacific Trust Company, with power to carry on the business of financiers, concessionaires and merchants, and to undertake and carry on and execute all kinds of financial, commercial, trading and other operations and to purchase or otherwise acquire, sell, dispose of and deal in real and personal property of all kinds; to act as guarantor for any person or persons, to undertake the office of trustee, receiver and liquidator, whether official or otherwise, executor, administrator, committee, manager, attorney, delegate, substitute, treasurer and other office or situation of trust or confidence, and with all such powers and privileges as are usual or incidental to all or any of the aforesaid purposes.

Dated December 15th, A.D. 1910.

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R. J. Mackenzie, the Winnipeg horse owner, who has met with great success in Canada and the United States in this and previous years, has his horses wintering at Pleasonton, Cal. Among the well known horses in the string are Merry Widow, 2:02¾; Marcl. McEwen, 2:08¼; Star Brino, 2:10¼; Joe Patchen, 2:17¼. Of the horses with the smaller records the favorite is Joe Patchen II., 2:17½. This horse is sired by that grand old iron horse Joe Patchen, 2:01¾. Mr. James, who is in charge of Mr. Mackenzie's string, saw the horse race at Toronto and deciding that he was made of championship material, he secured an option on him for four days, his owner offering to show 2.10 on a half mile track; he worked the mile very easily in 2.10½, and knowing the ability of his sire and dam, Mr. James purchased him for Mr. Mackenzie. He is looked upon as one of the greatest young pacers in America today, and will be prepared with the expectation of starting in the Chamber of Commerce at Detroit and also for other large stakes. Another good horse in the string is Jack Vassar, a green trotter which Mr. Mackenzie purchased in 1909, and he worked a mile very easily in 2.09, the last half in 1.03½, and the last quarter in .29½. This horse is being pointed towards the M. & M., the great $10,000 classic of the Detroit meeting.

That was certainly a pretty comeback that A. G. Spalding handed the California statesmen when they said he shouldn't be elected United States senator because he was once a ball player, "I was the captain and pitcher of the champion baseball club of America for five years in succession," responded Spalding, "but after winning on the field, out in the open, I never had a pennant withheld from me. I glory in my athletic achievements." "I am proud of my early profession and not ashamed of what I have been able to do in behalf of clean American sports.

"I have seen a good deal of baseball, much less of politics; but from what I know of both I am convinced that a little of the baseball brand of integrity and fairness injected into the political game will do the latter no harm."

C.P.R. SHARES STILL CLIMBING

Gain Two Points In London And Three In New York—Stock Market Generally Strong And Demand Active

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Trading on the stock exchange today began with a broad and active demand, which soon placed the list as a whole at the top level for the present movement, with gains almost equally well distributed among railway and industrial issues. The general tone of the market denoted some of the more powerful financial factors encouraged the movement by tacit consent at least.

The strength of Canadian Pacific was again a notable feature, London advancing the stock by about two points before our opening and the rise continuing here to 210¾, and being a new high record with a net gain of over 3 points. The movement in Canadian Pacific naturally attracted attention to other properties whose fortunes are linked with it, such as Wisconsin Central, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie, and Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic, all of which materially improved their market prices.

Both the Harriman and Hill issues shared in the movement of the day. United States Steel resumed its leadership in point of activity. Other industrial issues as well as the utility stocks shared in the day's operations. The movement also spread to the copper shares.

Business in bonds on the exchange continued broad, but still is confined to issues of the highest grades. In the general bond market a firm tone was apparent throughout. Total sales (par value) $5,485,000. United States bonds advanced ¼ per cent on call.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Activity was general throughout today's session. It appeared for a time that distribution was being conducted in Reading under cover of the strength in Steel and Union Pacific but the selling was well absorbed and in the two hours' the trading was on a much broader scale than has been witnessed recently. Sentiment overnight appeared to have been much improved, particularly in banking circles in view of the ten or fifteen opinions expressed at an important gathering last night and in addition to announcements regarding the financial plans of several large corporations did much towards fostering the better feeling. Mention was made of the sale of bonds by Delaware and Hudson, American Telephone and Telegraph Co. and the Seaboard Air Line, which coupled with the broader inquiry in investment security gave rise to the opinions that corporate financing was likely to be conducted rather more easily than anticipated some time ago.

Stock—	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.
Amal. Copper	65	63⅝	65
Am. Beet Sugar	41½	40⅝	41
Am. Can. pfd	..	..	78¼
Amer. Loco.	40¼	40	40
Amer. Smelt.	77⅛	76¾	77
Amer. Sugar	116⅛	115⅞	114
Amer. Woolen	31½	31	31
Anaconda	39¾	39⅜	39⅝
Atchison	104½	103	104⅜
B. and O.	107⅜	107½	107⅜
B. R. T.	78	77⅛	77⅜
C. P. R.	210⅞	209	210⅝
Cent. Leather	29¾	29	29¾
Ches. and Ohio	84⅜	83	84½
C. and G. W.	23½	23¼	23⅝
C. M. and S. P.	126¼	125¼	126⅛
Colo. F. and I.	33	32½	33
Colo. Southern	59½	59	59½
Con. Gas	142⅜	140⅜	142½
D. and R. G.	30⅝	30½	30⅝
Erie	28⅜	28	28⅝
Goldfield Cons.	6⅝	6½	6⅝
Gt. Nor. pfd	125⅝	125	125⅝
Illinois Cent.	135⅝	135⅜	135⅝
Inter-Met.	20	19⅜	19⅝
K. C. Southern	33⅝	33½	33⅜
L. and N.	147⅞	146½	147⅝
Mackay Cos.	..	..	91⅜
Lehigh Valley	178⅞	178¼	178⅝
M. S. P. S. S. M.	140	138⅝	138½
M. K. and T.	35¼	35¼	35½
Missouri Pac.	50⅝	49⅝	50
Nevada Cons.	19	18⅝	18⅝
N. Y. Cent.	111½	110½	111¼
N. Y. O. and W.	42¼	42	42⅛
Norfolk and W.	108¼	104¼	107⅞
Northern Pac.	118⅜	117½	118⅛
Pacific Mail	27⅜	27⅝	27⅜
Pennsyl. Ry.	127⅜	126⅞	127⅝
Peoples Gas	108¼	107½	108⅛
Pressed Steel	32½	32	32
Reading	156⅜	155⅞	156⅜
Rep. I. and S.	32¾	32¾	32⅝
Rock Island	32⅝	32½	32½
Southern Pac.	117¼	116⅝	117⅜
Southern Ry.	28¼	27⅝	28⅛
Tenn. Copper	34	33½	34
Texas Pac.	26½	26¼	26⅝
Twin City	110¼	109⅜	110¼
Union Pac.	176⅞	175¼	176⅝
do pfd	92¼	93	93
U. S. Rubber	..	..	30⅝
U. S. Steel	78¼	76½	78
do pfd	118⅞	118¼	118⅝
Utah Copper	46	45⅝	46
Wabash	16¼	16	16⅛
West. Union	74⅜	74¼	74
Westinghouse	67	66⅝	66⅞
Wisconsin Cent.	62¼	62⅛	62½

Total sales, 629,400 shares.

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	100⅝	101½	100⅛	101⅛
July	95⅝	97	95⅝	97
Sept.	94⅜	95⅛	94⅜	95⅛
Corn—				
May	49⅜	50⅝	49⅜	50⅛
July	50⅝	51⅝	50⅝	51⅝
Sept.	51¼	52¼	51¼	51¾
Oats—				
May	34⅜	34¼	34¼	34⅛
July	34¼	34⅜	34¼	34⅜
Sept.	33¼	33⅜	33⅜	33¾
Pork—				
Jan.	20.00	20.30	20.25	20.30
May	18.80	19.07	18.85	19.05
Lard—				
Jan.	10.27	10.37	10.27	10.35
May	10.00	10.07	10.00	10.05
Short Ribs—				
Jan.	10.70	10.72	10.65	10.72
May	10.05	10.05	9.92	10.05

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE.

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Stock—	Bid.	Asked.
Alberta Canadian Oil	.11¼	.13
Amer. Canadian Oil	.35	.38
Canadian Northwest Oil	.10	..
Alberta Coal and Coke	.03¼	.04
Diamond Vale C. and C.	.06	.08½
International C. and C.	.71	.72
Nicola Valley C. and C.	.50	..
Royal Collieries	.18	.20½
Western C. and C.	1.50	..
Granby	38.00	38.00
B. C. Packers com.	32.00	38.00
B. C. Perm. Loan	..	130.00
Dominion Trust Co.	100.00	106.00
Gt. West Perm. (a)	..	125.00
Gt. West Perm. (b)	118.00	135.00
Stewart Land	15.00	20.00
S. A. Scrip	715.00	770.00
C. N. F. Fisheries	2.50	..
Bitter Creek	.18	.35
Glacier Creek	..	.20
Main Reef	..	.23
Portland Canal	.14¾	.15
Red Cliffs	1.32	1.36
Stewart M. and D.	..	2.25
Klaskino	.16	..
Lasqueti	.02	.03
Lucky Calumet	.02½	.03
Lucky Jim	..	.18
Nugget Gold	.90	.95
Rambler Cariboo	.31½	.32
Snowstorm	.52	.55
Snowshoe	.01¾	.03

Sales.

1000 International C. and C. at .70½; 1000 at .70¾; 1000 at .70¾; 500 at .70⅝; 2000 at .71; 1000 at .71¼.

500 Portland Canal at .15; 500 at .15.

Vancouver Stock Sales.

2000 Alberta Can. Oil at .11¾; 5000 at .11¼; 1000 at .12½; 5000 at .12½; 5000 at .12.

2500 Portland Canal Mining Co. at .14½.

2000 Lasqueti Mines at .02¼.

1000 Red Cliff at $1.30.

7000 American Can. Oil at .36; 2000 at .36¼.

1000 International C. and C. at .70½.

1000 Lasqueti Mines at .02¼; 3000 at .02½.

500 Nugget Gold at .92.

200 Red Cliff at $1.35.

3000 Portland Canal Mining Co. at .14½; 500 at .14¾.

1500 Alberta Can. Oil at .13; 4000 at .12½; 1000 at .13¾.

1500 American Can Oil at .37; 1000 at .37½.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

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Stock—	Bid.	Asked.
Amal. Asbestos	11	14
Bell Telephone	146	..
Can. Cons. Rubber	99¾	100
Detroit United	67⅝	67¾
Dom. Iron and Steel	101	102
do pfd	101	102
Dom. Textile	62	63
do pfd	97½	101
Halifax Tramway	140	141
Illinois Traction pfd	89½	92
Lake of Woods	140	140½
Laurentide Paper	197½	198¼
Mex. Light and Pow.	85½	86¾
Montreal Cotton Co.	139	140
Montreal L. and Pow.	148¼	148½
Montreal Steel Works	..	164
Montreal St. Ry.	224½	225
Nova Scotia Steel	88	89
do pfd	..	122
Ogilvie Mlg. Co.	130½	131
Ottawa Lt. and Pow.	159	160
Penmans Ltd.	61½	62
do pfd	85½	86
Rio de Janeiro Tram.	101⅜	101¾
Shawinigan Wat. and P.	110	110⅝
Toledo Railways	..	19
Toronto Railways	122	124
Winnipeg Elec. Co.	..	190
Can. Cement	22¾	23
do pfd	87	..

THE LOCAL MARKETS

Foodstuffs

Bran, per 100 lbs.	1.45
Shorts, per 100 lbs.	1.55
Middlings, per 100 lbs.	1.75
Oats, per 100 lbs.	2.65
Feed Wheat, per 100 lbs.	2.10
Crushed Oats, per 100 lbs.	1.75
Barley, per 100 lbs.	1.50
Crushed Barley, per 100 lbs.	1.70
Chop Feed, per 100 lbs.	1.50
Whole Corn, per 100 lbs.	1.85
Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs.	1.90
Feed, Cornmeal, per 100 lbs.	1.80
Hay, Fraser River, per ton	27.00 to 28.00
Hay, prairie,	23.00 to 24.00
Wheat Hay, per ton	24.00 to 25.00
Alfalfa Hay, per ton	24.00 to 25.00
Eggs—	
Fresh Island, per dozen	.75
Eastern Eggs, per dozen	.35
Cheese—	
Canadian, per lb.	.20
Neufchatel, each	.10
Cream, local, each	.10
Butter—	
Alberta, per lb.	.35
Best Dairy	.25@.30
Victoria Creamery, per lb.	.30
Cowichan Creamery, per lb.	.30
Comox Creamery, per lb.	.30
Salt Spring Is. Creamery, lb.	.30
Flour	
Royal Household, bag	1.95
Lake of the Woods, bag	1.95
Royal Standard, bag	1.95
Wild Rose, per sack	2.00
Robin Hood, per sack	1.90
Calgary, bag	1.90
Snowflake, bag	1.85
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.75
Three Star, per sack	1.75
Monet's Best, per bag	1.85
Meats.	
Beef, per lb.	.08@.20
Mutton, per lb.	.15@.20
Mutton, Australian	.15@.20
Veal, dressed, per lb.	.15@.20
Geese, dressed, per lb.	.20@.25
Ducks, dressed, per lb.	.20@.25
Hams, per lb.	.18@.25
Pork	.15@.20
Fruit	
Grapes (Cal.) per lb.	.25
Pears, local, per box	1.50@2.00
Apples, local, per box	1.00, 1.50, 2.00
Figs, table, per lb.	.10@.20
Lemons, per dozen	.30
Oranges, navel	.25@.50
Bananas	.15@.40
Grape Fruit (Cal.)	.15@12½
Vegetables	
Tomatoes, per lb.	.20
Artichokes (Globe), each	.12½
Artichokes, Jerusalem, lb.	.05
Parsley, per bunch	.05
Celery, per bunch	.15@.20
Cucumbers	.10@.20
Potatoes, per sack	1.75 and 2.00
Potatoes, Ashcroft, per sack	2.25
Cauliflower, each	.25@.30
Cabbage, new per lb.	.03
Lettuce, head	.05
Carlic, per lb.	.25
Spanish Onions, per lb.	.25
Chickens, per lb.	.25@.30
Chickens, per lb., live weight	.23½@.25
Onions, 3 lbs. for	.25
Beets, per lb.	.04
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NOTICE.—THE MISSES WILLSON AND Smyth, from London (England), beg to intimate that on Monday, 16th January, they will open a Tea Room at 1006 Broad street (Pemberton block), to be known as "The Dorothy Tea Room." The Tea Room will be open from 10 a. m. to 7 p. m. A speciality will be made of Choice Cakes, Fragrant Tea and Dainty Sandwiches.

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FAIRFIELD ESTATE.—OLIVE STREET; nice lot; 2 from car; $750.

ROBERTSON ROAD, FACING SHELtered part of Foul Bay; lot 50x120; price $750.

VANCOUVER AND PENDERGAST ST.—corner lot with new modern fitted house; plumbing of the best; full size basement, piped for furnace; concrete walk, etc.; price $5,300; terms.

BETWEEN FERNWOOD ROAD AND Cedar Hill; 2 lots, splendid view; $1,300 the two; third cash, balance 6 and 12 months, 7 per cent.

JOSEPH H. LIST
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Auctioneer And Real Estate Agent

DELTA STREET SNAP.—3 LOTS, 60x120; $1,300; your own terms.

SUPERIOR STREET.—BEAUTIFUL LOT, 60x120; $2,000; improvements shortly to be made on this street.

160 ACRE RANCH, FIRST-CLASS LAND, modern house; bath room, etc.; also Chinaman's house; 15 head of cattle; 200 fowl, implements; 30 acres fenced and cultivated; 100 acres in fruit; at bargain at $10,500. See me for further particulars.

TRACKSELL ANDERSON & CO
Phone 1722 And R 2305 after 6 p. m.

FAIRFIELD.—LOTS, LOTS.—OSCAR ST., 50x141; $1,200; Howe street, 50x120, $1,250; McKenzie street, 50x120, $1,200; McKenzie street, 45x141, $1,150. Chester, near Hilda, $1,500; another, $1,450; Olive street, 50x120, $725. North End: Prior street, 50x135, no rock, level, $500. King's road, 50x110, fine soil, $850; Market street, corner, 102x120, near Douglas, $1,500; Blackwood, corner, 56x109, $750. Vancouver street, 50x123, $900.

BURNSIDE ROAD.—BIG QUARTER-ACRE lots, $500 each; monthly payments.

HOUSES FROM $2,000 UP, AND FINE building lots in all parts of city.

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$120 CASH.—6 CHOICE BUILDING lots, 50x132, close to Beacon Hill park and on car line. If sold at once, we can offer these on exceptionally low terms, viz.: $120 cash and the balance in monthly or quarterly payments to suit the purchaser.

3 LOTS ON ST. JAMES STREET, OAK Bay, close to car; $875 each.

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGE.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserves existing on crown lands in Range 5, Coast District, and in Cariboo District, situated in the Vicinity of Stuart River, notices of which, dated December 17th, 1908, and February 15th, 1910, were published in the British Columbia Gazette in the issues of December 17th, 1908, and February 17th, 1910, are cancelled in so far as the said reserves relate to lots numbered 2391, 2390a, 2971, 2971a, 2395, 2970, 2969, 2969a, 2951a, 2836, 2810, 2835, 2820, 2788, 2789a, 2789, 2790, 2787, 2887a, 2791a, 2792a, 2952, and 2828a, Range 5, Coast District.

R. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., January 3, 1911.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserves existing on crown lands in Range 5, Coast District, and in Caribo District, situated in the vicinity of Babine Lake, notices of which, dated December 17th, 1908, and May 5th, 1910, were published in the British Columbia Gazette in the issues of December 17th, 1908, and May 5th, 1910, are cancelled in so far as the said reserves relate to lots numbered 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 673, 674, 675, 676, 1873, 671, 672, 677, 678, 679, 680, 1870, 1871 and 1872.

R. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., January 3, 1911.

TENDERS

For the purchase of the American built, clipper ship "Glory of the Seas," 2102 tons, registered under Uruguayan flag and now lying at Esquimalt, B. C., will be received by the undersigned up till and including 24th January, 1911.

This vessel is in good condition, with new running gear, two suits of sails (one new) donkey engine and pump. Has recently returned from Unalaska, having taken 3,000 tons of coal to that port from Ladysmith. Lumber capacity 1,500,000 feet.

Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Apply to

JAMES & JARVIS,
1006 Government Street.

LIQUOR ACT, 1910.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 9th day of February next, application will be made to the Superintendent of Provincial Police for the transfer of the license for the sale of liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as the San Juan Hotel, situate at Port Renfrew, British Columbia, from J. W. Williams to F. A. Dunbrack, of British Columbia.

Dated this 9th day of January, 1911.

J. W. WILLIAMS,
Holder of License.
F. A. DUNBRACK,
Applicant for Transfer.

Great Discount Sale

Twenty per cent. off on silk, dressing gowns, Mandarin coats, china and Satsuma ware, hand-carved ivory and trays, also brass wares.

NEW GOODS JUST ARRIVED

J. M. Nagano & Co.
TWO STORES
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DIED.

WAITT—In this city on the 17th inst., Mary Angelett Waitt, wife of the late Marshal W. Waitt, a native of Boston, Mass., aged 75 years.

The funeral will take place from her late residence, 1625 Quadra street, on Thursday at 2 p. m., and half an hour later from Christ Church Cathedral.

Friends please accept this intimation.

To the Electors of No. 1 Ward

Ladies' and Gentlemen—I tender my grateful thanks to all those who voted and assisted me at the polls at the civic election and I assure them that I will ever be ready to render every service that will promote the best interests of the city and No. 1 Ward in particular.

Sincerely yours,
W. M. ROSS.

Boat Builders

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned until 5 p. m. on Thursday, the 19th instant for the construction of a Motor Yacht, 60 by 13 feet. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ALFRED J. C. ROBERTSON,
Naval Architect.
Trust Building, Vancouver.
Victoria, 17th January, 1911.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve existing by reason of the notice published in the B. C. Gazette of the 27th of December, 1907, over lands situated on Cortez Island, formerly covered by Timber Licenses Nos. 27195 and 35420 is cancelled, and that the said lands will be open to location at midnight on March 10th, 1911.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Lands Department, Victoria, B. C., 9th December, 1910.

Maynard & Son

Instructed, we will sell at our sales room, 1314 Broad street, on

Friday 20th, at 2 p.m.

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5 Heaters, 9 Cook Stoves, also

LOT OF CHICKENS.

On account of not having a sale last week, there will be an extra lot of furniture for Friday. Particulars later.

MAYNARD & SON Auctioneers

Short Notice Sale

Messrs Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed will sell by Public Auction at 942 Pandora St., (above Quadra street)

TODAY

at 2 o'clock sharp, a quantity of

Household Furniture and Effects

Including First Class Piano by Heintzman & Co. (nearly new), several upholstered Arm Chair Sofas, Albion Range in good order, Kitchen tables, Kitchen Chairs, Linen Cupboard, Screens, Tables, Heaters, a number of Wash Stands and Bureaus, Bedsteads and Mattresses, Linoleum, Stair Carpet, Carpets, Rugs, Chairs, Rockers, very good Gas Range, Wicker Chairs, and other goods too numerous to mention.

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An old established shoe repairing store with two rooms; low rent; 857 Johnson street.

Loans Wanted

First loan $1,500, 7 per cent; good revenue bearing.

Second loan, $4,000, 8 per cent, central property; equity $12,000, revenue bearing.

Second loan, $6,000, 8 per cent, central property; equity $19,000, revenue bearing.

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WITH THE LEAGUE AND BALL PLAYERS

"Eddie" Householder Promises To Forward "Bunch" Contracts Shortly—Other Clubs Mustering Forces

"Eddie" Householder, team manager of the Victoria baseball club, has written to L. A. Wattalet, the general manager, announcing that he is in Oakland at present and that on his return to San Diego he will forward here a bunch of contracts. Whether he has signed any more men than have been announced is not known. He is said to have been on the trail of several gilt-edged players whose names have not been made public because of the fear that other magnates might pick up the scent and land the game. Mr. Wattalet, however, is not worrying. The line-up thus far is most re-assuring, he states, and it will take the forces being assembled by the other clubs represented in the northwestern league some hustling to get a fall out of those who will wear the Victoria colors.

Yesterday the Hemenway contract, which was signed some days ago, was received here.

Jack Clynes, who played the outfield for the Tacoma Tigers several years ago, will be a regular outer gardner for Bob Brown's Vancouver Beavers next summer, according to a special dispatch received last night by The Ledger from Vancouver. Brown has traded Outfielder Jimmy Flanagan and Pitcher Pete Standridge to the Calgary club in the Twilight league for Clynes. This deal puts an end to negotiations Mike Lynch, manager of the Tigers, was carrying on with Brown. Mike has been sweet on Standridge and tried to land him for Tacoma. Mike for have to deal with Calgary now if he wants Big Pete.

Jack Tighe, the new manager of the Seattle baseball club, will leave Rock Island, Ill., for his new field of endeavor today. He will stop off two days in St. Paul. This information came to President Dugdale in a telegram yesterday afternoon. Unless something unexpected happens, Mr. Tighe will be in Seattle about a week from today. As soon as he arrives the list of players will be closely scrutinized and plans made for the opening of the training season.

The season in Seattle this year will open either Tuesday, April 18, or Saturday, April 22, the choice between these two dates to be determined by the directors' preference between a five months, two days or five and one-half month schedule. If the Tuesday date is selected, therefore, the season will end October 1, but if the Saturday date is chosen the end will not come until October 14. Details of the schedule are not being discussed to any extent by Dugdale as he believes that matter properly should be brought up only at the regular association meeting, which is to be held here February 2.

According to a decision reached last Friday the Tacoma ball players will be asked to report at Fresno, Cal., March 10 for the spring training season. This will give them about five weeks in the south before they come north to open the season. President Shreeder has arranged a series of exhibition games that will keep his Tigers and Tiger cubs busy most of the time they are in California.

The Pittsburg Despatch says:

Harry Gardner, the Vancouver pitcher secured by the Pittsburg club last fall, is now under contract to play here next season. President Barney Dreyfuss found the signed document in the mail which accumulated during his visit to the schedule meeting last week.

With the contract the young man sent a brief letter in which he said he would report at West Baden March 7. That was the extent of his communication. Instead of making any rash promises he evidently decided to allow his work to speak for itself.

Gardner was the most successful pitcher on the Vancouver team last season and ranked fourth in the league. He pitched 35 games, of which he won 22 and lost 13.

The Pittsburg club did not reveal the source of its information about Gardner, but it is known that his name was entered in the famous dope book at the beginning of the year and thta President Dreyfuss scrutinized the Northwestern records closely. The terms of the deal whereby Pittsburg obtained the right to negotiate with Gardner were not made public.

Joe Cohn of Spokane, has signed two new pitchers, Cornelius, a right hander, from Bay City, Mich., and Fitzwater of East Liverpool, Ohio, are the names of the players. Both are said to be good men.

Pool Championship.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The second block of 200 points in the match for the pool championship of the world between Alfred De Oro, the present titleholder, and William Clearwater, of Pittsburg, ended tonight with De Oro leading by 87 points. The score to date is: De Oro, 408; Clearwater, 321.

DRY WOOD, MILL WOOD AND BARK
R. DAVERNE
Wood Yard, Fort St. Office: 1615 Douglas St. Tel. 97.

CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement Works, authorized by Bylaw, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLIES

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Monday, the 23rd, for the following supplies, viz.:

Lumber,	Cement.
Bricks,	Wood Blocks,
Nails,	Forage,
Ironwork,	Milk,
Wood.	Bread,
Hauling Coal.	Meat.
Fire Hydrants,	Drugs.
Sand,	Staples,
Gravel,	Washing,
Sewer Pipe.	Printing Bylaws.

Specifications can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent.

City Hall, Jan. 18, 1911.

Provincial Gaol at Nanaimo

Tenders endorsed "Gaol Supplies," for the supplying of clothing, underclothing, boots and shoes, for the above institution, from the 25th January to the 31st March, 1911. Will be received by the Warden of the Provincial gaol at Victoria, up to the 24th day of January, 1911.

All articles required for use in this contract to be of provincial manufacture as far as practicable. Forms of tender will be supplied from the Provincial Gaol, Victoria, on application.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

I. M. MUTTER,
Warden.

Provincial Gaol, Victoria, 10th January, 1911.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

In the Matter of an Application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title to Part (10 acres) of Section 10, Range 1 East, South Saanich District.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof to issue a Duplicate Certificate of Title to said lands issued to Jacob Simpson on the 14th day of December, 1898, and numbered 4957C.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar General of Titles.

Land Registry of Office, Victoria, B. C., the 22nd day of December, 1910.

APPLICATION FOR STORING WATER

(To be attached to Form 1, 2 or 3, as may be required.)

(s.) The place of the proposed reservoir for storing Nanaimo Lakes Nos. 1 and 2.

(t.) The means by which it is proposed to store the water. Earth dam 8 ft. high, pipe and valves.

(u.) The area of the reservoir site or sites at each foot in depth above the outlet: Lake No. 1, area to level top of 8 ft. dam 700 acres, Lake No. 2, area to level top of 8 ft. dam 800 acres or thereby.

(v.) How it is proposed to acquire the land necessary for the purpose: By purchase.

(w.) Approximately the number of acre feet intended to be impounded: Lake No. 1 4200 ft., Lake No. 2, 4800 feet.

(x.) Whether it is proposed to lower the water in any natural lake or standing body of water, and, if so, then—

(1.) The anticipated extent of the lowering. About 2 feet, No. 1 Lake.

(2.) The means proposed to be adopted to lower and refill: Opening and shutting valves.

(3.) The nature and character, in detail, of the works proposed to be constructed to provide for the discharge and penning back of the water: Earth dam and waste weir. Pipe laid in concrete with valves at upper and lower ends under dam.

(Signature)
CANADIAN COLLIERIES (Dunsmuir) LIMITED.

(P. O. Address)
Pemberton Block, Victoria. B. C.

STATUTES OF B. C., 1907.

RE VICTORIA WEST ARBITRATION

TAKE NOTICE that I the undersigned, being the arbitrator duly appointed by law in and about the determination of the matters submitted to me under Statutory Authority in the adjustment of the Official Map of Victoria West will hold my final sitting for the purpose of closing the proceedings and considering my final award, on Monday, the 6th day of February, 1911, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the Justice Room, City Hall, Victoria.

AND TAKE NOTICE that all persons whose claims have not been considered or adjusted by me, and who now have and desire to make, any claim which I have authority to deal with, are directed to appear before me at the time and place aforesaid and to give at least three days previous notice in writing of their intention so to do, to Messrs. Mason & Mann, acting as solicitors for the Corporation of the City of Victoria, at 1112 Langley street.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the said sitting I shall proceed to make my final award, having reference only to such matters as have been brought before me.

Dated this 5th day of January, 1911.

D. R. HARRIS,
Arbitrator.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve existing by reason of the notice published in the B. C. Gazette of the 27th of December, 1907, over lands situate on Texada Island, New Westminster district, formerly covered by Timber License No. 13449, is cancelled, and that the said lands will be open for location under the provisions of the Land Act at midnight on the 22nd of March, 1911.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Lands Department, Victoria, B. C., 18th December, 1910.

Water Notice

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V. of the "Water Act, 1909," to obtain a license in the Division of Victoria Water District.

(a) The name of company in full: Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir) Ltd. The head office, Pemberton Block, Victoria, B. C. The capital, how divided, showing amount paid up, $15,000,000 fully paid up.

(f) for mining purposes) Free Miner's Certificate No.

(b.) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description is) Nanaimo River and Nanaimo Lakes 1 and 2.

(c.) The point of diversion: Nanaimo River 18,000 feet up stream from foot of Nanaimo Falls.

(d.) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second) 600.

(e.) The character of the proposed works: Weir at point of diversion, flume, pipe line, powerhouse electric installation, etc.

(g.) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same): On a flat at the foot of Nanaimo Falls on left bank of river.

(g.) The purpose for which the water is to be used: Generating electric power for company's mines.

(h.) If for irrigation describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage.

(i.) If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel, and the difference in altitude between point of diversion and point of return: 1000 feet below canon, difference in altitude 180 feet.

(j.) Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works.

(k.) This notice was posted on the ninth day of January, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the eleventh day of February, 1911.

(l.) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet: E. & N. Railway Co., B. C. Lumber and Milling Co.; M. Scanell.

Attach copy of such parts of the company's memorandum of association as authorize the proposed application and works.

(Signature)
CANADIAN COLLIERIES (Dunsmuir) LIMITED.

(P. O. Address)
Pemberton Block, Victoria. B. C.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Estate of Martha Rhodes, Late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim or demand against the late Martha Rhodes, who died on the 23rd day of July, 1910, at Victoria, B. C., are required to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to the undersigned, the Executor of the Estate, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims, duly verified, and particulars of the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

AND TAKE NOTICE THAT, after the 10th day of February, 1911, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which due notice shall have been given, and that the said Executor will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have received notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 9th day of January, 1911.

BRITISH AMERICAN TRUST COMPANY, LIMITED,
Executor.
ARTHUR E. HAYNES, Manager,
Victoria, B. C.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the reserve existing by reason of the notice published in the B. C. Gazette of the 27th of December, 1907, over lands situate at Kingcome Inlet, formerly covered by Timber License No. 44995 is cancelled, and that the said lands will be open for location under the provisions of the Land Act at midnight on March 16th, 1911.

ROBERT A. RENWICK,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands.
Lands Department, Victoria, B. C., 9th December, 1910.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Wing, Courthouse, Vancouver.

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for Wing, Courthouse, Vancouver," will be received by the Honorable the Minister of Public Works up to and including Thursday, the 2nd day of February, 1911, for the erection and completion of an addition to the Courthouse at Vancouver.

Drawings, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen at the office of the Provincial Timber Inspector, Vancouver, B. C., and at the Department of Public Works, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C.

Intending tenderers can, by applying to the undersigned, obtain one copy of the drawings and one copy of the specifications for the sum of twenty-five ($25) dollars.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equal to five (5) per cent. of his tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

The successful tenderer shall furnish a bond of a guarantee company satisfactory to the Minister of Public Works, equal to twenty (20) per cent. of the contract amount, for the due fulfilment of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. C. GAMBLE,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B. C., 5th January, 1911.

Legislative Assembly

PRIVATE BILLS NOTICE

The time limited by the Rules of the House for the presentation of Petitions for Private Bills will expire on the 22nd day of January, 1911.

Private bills must be presented to the House on or before the 2nd day of February, 1911.

Reports of Standing or Select Committees upon Private Bills will not be received after the 9th day of February, 1911.

If the rules are suspended to allow a petition to be received or a bill presented, double fees are payable.

Dated this 25th day of October, 1910.

THORNTON FELL,
Clerk Legislative Assembly.

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NOTICE OF PRIVATE BILL

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session on behalf of The Corporation of the District of Oak Bay, for an Act amending the "Oak Bay Act, 1910," so as to enable the said corporation to exercise the following powers:

1. To take, purchase or otherwise acquire water from The Esquimalt Waterworks Company, or any other company or corporation, private or public, on such terms as may be arranged between the said Council and The Esquimalt Waterworks Company or any other company or companies, and so that any agreement made between the Corporation and The Esquimalt Waterworks Company or any other company or companies, shall take priority over all rights or privileges hereinbefore or hereinafter conferred by statute or otherwise, upon any person or corporation in respect of the assets of The Esquimalt Waterworks Company or any other company or companies.

2. To enter into any agreement or agreements with any other municipality, municipalities or public authorities for the purpose of obtaining a joint water supply or supplying water to other municipalities or to individuals or corporations within the limits of such other municipality or contiguous district on such terms as may be agreed upon.

3. To sell water to any other municipality or corporation.

4. To pass bylaws for all or any of the purposes aforesaid.

5. To lay and maintain water mains and pipelines in, upon, through and under the highways and roads in the Districts of Victoria, Lake and Saanich, or any of them, and in, upon, through and over the lands of any person or persons, or bodies corporate; and for such purposes to enter upon, cut and dig up such highways, roads, lands and premises.

6. To borrow moneys on the security of water, sewer, or gas or electric light rentals, rates or charges, for the purpose of purchasing, constructing and laying sewers, water mains, gas mains or electric light wires.

7. To set aside, pay and raise the sinking fund and interest referred to in the Water Works Loan Bylaw, 1909, and the Water Works Loan Bylaw, 1910, out of the water rates to be levied under any bylaw passed under sub-section one (1) of section two (2), of the Oak Bay Act, 1910, instead of setting aside and paying such interest and sinking fund as mentioned in said bylaws.

8. To assess property for local improvements up to sixty per cent of the assessed value.

9. To borrow moneys for purchasing fire engines and equipment and equipping a fire department; purchasing fireball site and erecting fire halls; and to amend the provisions of the said Act relating to local improvements.

Dated the 6th day of December, 1910.

BODWELL & LAWSON,
Solicitors for the Applicants.

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Our "Windermere" Papeteries is exceptionally low priced—24 sheets of paper and 24 envelopes to match. Special ..... **15¢**

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People's Library, 100 titles to choose from. Cloth edition.. **25¢**
Sixpenny Novels, large assortment, 15c, or 2 for ..... **25¢**
Canada Cook Book. Latest edition **$1.00**
We have a few Calendars left, and have marked them at 60 per cent off selling price.
1911 Diaries, $1.00 to ..... **15¢**

Women's Underskirts

Women's Moire Underskirts, made with wide three-piece tucked and one-piece knife pleated flounce, in black and colors. Prices range from **$1.50**
Heather Bloom Skirts, in old rose, green, blue and black.
Taffeta Silk Underskirts, with eight-inch knife pleated flounce, well finished with dust ruffle. Price **$3.75**
Taffeta Silk Underskirts, in black and colors to match the new dress shades. Full pleated and tucked flounces. Price **$5.00**

Low-Priced Sponges, Today

You seldom get such prices on Sponges. Sponges are steadily advancing in price, and it is only by buying in large quantities that we are able to give you the advantage of price.

Large Bath Sponges, $1.25, $1.00 and ..... **90¢**
A Well-shaped Toilet Sponge ..... **50¢**
A Special Line of Toilet Sponges, 35c value. Each ..... **15¢**

Sale of Umbrellas, Today

Child's Umbrella, in good quality. Wooden handles. Each **75¢**
Child's Umbrella, in better quality. Strong steel frame, natural wood crook handle. Each **$1.00**
Woman's Umbrella, strong steel frame, mercerized cover. Handles made of wood, in plain crook styles or finished with fancy knot. Regular $2.00, for **$1.25**
Umbrella with strong frame, heavy cover and wooden handle, finished with pearl and gold-plated top. Regular $2.25, for **$1.50**
Directoire Umbrellas, with long, plain ebony handle, "tight weave" mercerized top. Special **$2.00**
Umbrella, with a light steel frame, well covered with good heavy gloria silk. Handles in many styles. Special **$4.90**
Hobble Umbrellas. We have just received a few more of these very popular umbrellas with the close rolling silk cover and natural wood handle. Special **$6.00**

MEN'S AND BOYS' UMBRELLAS

Men's Umbrellas, with steel frames, heavy cotton covered. Plain handles. Self-opening. Special **$1.00**
A Line of Umbrellas, composed of light, strong frames, covered with mercerized or gloria silk mixture covers. Wood handles, finished with monogram plate. Patent slide for holding ribs close to the frame. Self-opening. Special **$2.00**
Storm Umbrella, absolutely unbreakable. Three-eighths-inch tubing with heavier tubing, make a solid one-piece handle. Covered with gloria silk. Each **$2.50**
Umbrella, with gloria silk cover, salvage edge. Ebony handle, sterling silver or gold-filled tip on the handle. Regular $5.00. Each **$4.00**

A Big Bargain Day in the Men's Furnishings

SALE OF SOFT SHIRTS—
Values up to $1.00 for **50c**
Values to $1.25 for **75c**
Values to $1.50 and $1.75 for **$1.00**

MEN'S SHIRTS of print or cambric, in fancy stripes. Soft fronts, starched cuffs. All sizes. Regular $1.00 today **50c**

MEN'S SHIRTS of print and cambric, in light stripes and checks. Soft and tucked fronts. Attached cuffs. Regular $1.25, for **75c**

MEN'S SHIRTS of very fine cambric, light and dark stripes or plain shades. Soft front and starched attached cuffs. All sizes. Regular $1.75 and $1.50 for **$1.00**

MEN'S AND BOYS' COAT SWEATERS—
Men's and Boys' Coat Sweaters, heavy weight, in plain blue with grey trimming. Also Men's Blue Sweaters with high roll collar. Regular $1.50 and $1.25, for **$1.00**

MEN'S UNDERWEAR AND SOX—
Men's Shirts and Drawers in heavy wool mixtures. Elastic ribbed. All sizes. Regular 85c, for **65c**
12 Dozen, only, Men's Imported Heather Wool Sox. Regular values 25c, for **15c**

Undermuslins in a Great Variety of Styles

Night Gowns, of fine cambric, with round or square yokes of lace or embroidery. Also slip-over styles. Three-quarter sleeves, neck finished with beading, lace and ribbon. Today's price **$1.15**
Night Gowns of good quality white cotton, made with square yoke of embroidery. Fastened down side, neck and sleeves, finished with lace and ribbon. Today **$1.25**
Night Gowns, of splendid quality cotton, in slip-over styles. Yoke and three-quarter sleeves made of Torchon lace insertion. Neck finished with lace and ribbon. Today **$1.25**
Night Gowns of fine cambric, with yoke of all-over embroidery. Neck and sleeves edged with narrow embroidery. O. S. sizes **$1.25**
Night Gowns of good, strong cotton, made in slip-over styles, with three-quarter sleeves. Neck and sleeves finished with Torchon lace, extra full size. Today ..... **50¢**
Night Gowns, of fine cambric. Square yoke of heavy embroidery. Today **$1.50**
Night Gowns of good quality cotton, with tucked yoke. Buttoned front. Full length sleeves. Neck and sleeves finished with frill of embroidery ..... **65¢**
Night Gowns of good quality cambric, with deep yoke of heavy embroidery around neck and front. Three-quarter sleeves, finished with frill of embroidery **$1.00**
Underskirt of lustrous black sateen, is made with flounce and deep frill, trimmed with tucking and narrow strapping, also has deep dust flounce **$1.00**
Underskirts in black and colored fancy striped moreen, made with full flounce, trimmed with rows of tucking and finished around bottom with deep knife pleating **$3.45**
Underskirts of fine quality English moreen. Has full three-piece flounce, trimmed with clusters of narrow tucks **$3.90**
Underskirt of extra good quality moreen, made with deep flounce and finished around bottom with tucking and narrow frill. Has under flounce. Colors, navy, brown and black. **$4.90**
Drawers of fine white cotton. Made with wide flounce of lawn. Finished two-inch Torchon lace ..... **50¢**
Drawers of excellent quality cambric, with flounce of tucked embroidery ..... **65¢**
Drawers of splendid quality cambric. Flounce of tucked muslin, finished with four-inch Swiss embroidery ..... **75¢**
Drawers made of nainsook. Wide frill of muslin, with two rows of fine lace insertion and edged with lace ..... **75¢**

PRINCESS SLIPS, $1.50 TO $4.00

Princess Slips of fine cotton with frill of tucked lawn around the skirt, neck and sleeves finished with white Torchon lace **$1.50**
Princess Slip of cambric, with deep yoke of embroidery, neck and sleeves finished with lace edging. Skirt has an 18-inch flounce of tucked embroidery **$2.75**
Princess Slip of fine Nainsook, 18-inch flounce of muslin set with three rows of insertion, in maltese lace patterns. Yoke set with insertion and edged with lace **$4.00**

Carpet Squares and Hearth Rugs, Today

You will find these values a pronounced saving, and the qualities high.

Brussels Squares, in many new designs and rich grounds of crimson, greens and fawns. Has handsome interwoven borders, and come in floral and Oriental effects. Hard finished surface. Size 9 x 9 ..... **$16.75**
Tapestry Carpet Squares in a better quality, patterns in pleasing floral designs. Come in green and tan grounds, closely woven surface. Sizes, 2 1-2 x 3 ..... **$6.25**
Tapestry Carpet Squares, with interwoven border. The patterns are in excellent floral and conventional designs. Crimson grounds. A very appropriate rug for any room in the house. Size 2¼ x 3 ..... **$4.75**
Velvet Hearth Rugs in all the newest designs and colorings. Green and crimson grounds, closely woven surface, giving hard wear. Size, 27 in. x 63 ..... **$2.50**
Drecan Hearth Rugs—These are a very strong, durable kind of rug, with thick, heavy pile, and come in Oriental patterns and colorings. In every way appropriate for living room or den. Size 4 x 7 ..... **$4.90**

Special Prices on Children's Dresses, Today

Child's Dress made of good quality cashmere, Mother Hubbard yoke, deep turn-down collar trimmed with white stitching and ruffle edge, full waist. Skirt finished with deep hem. Colors, red, sky and cream **$1.60**
Child's Dress of cashmere, panel front extending to bottom of skirt. Full sleeves and waist, skirt pleated and finished with wide hem. Colors, navy, brown and red **$1.75**
Child's Dress of wool Panama, square yoke of black and white checked goods edged with braid. High collar and cuffs of same, full bodice gathered into wide band at waist and fancy ties of silk. Colors, brown and navy .. **$2.45**
Child's Dress of Panama, yoke of tucking, gathered waist with straps from shoulder to hem-pleated skirt with wide hem, full sleeves, with tucked cuffs **$4.30**
Child's Dress of fine navy diagonal serge, wide pleats extending from the neck to bottom of skirt. Full sleeves, plain cuffs, wide belt, collar and cuffs trimmed with rows of fancy silk braid **$2.70**
Child's Sailor Dress of heavy navy serge, full pleated skirt trimmed with rows of white braid. Blouse made with double collar, and vest of cream serge with embroidered emblem, **$2.70**
Child's Dress of navy serge, side fastening, blouse made with pocket, full pleated skirt, wide belt, dress trimmed with brass buttons and piped with fawn **$3.35**
Child's Dress of cashmere, square yoke back and front and deep turn-down collar trimmed with rows of hemstitching. Bodice made with wide pleats to the waist. Full gathered skirt finished with one-inch hemstitched tucks. Colors, cream, reseda, old rose and sky **$2.70**

Sale of Towels, Today

150 Dozen White and Brown Turkish Towels. Regular 35c. Today ..... **25¢**
100 Dozen of White and Brown Turkish Towels. Regular 50c. Today ..... **35¢**

DAMASK TABLE SETS

50 Table Damask Sets, consisting of one cloth 2 x 2 1-2 yards long and 1-2 dozen dinner size napkins to match, nicely boxed, pure Irish linen, full bleached. Assorted patterns. Regular value $6.00. Today **$3.00**
Regular value $7.50. Today **$4.75**
100 Dozen White Table Napkins, sizes 20 x 20 and 22 x 22, heavy weave, hemmed ready for use, full bleached. Assorted patterns. Regular value $1.75 dozen. Today **$1.15**
150 Dozen Table Napkins, extra heavy quality, full bleached, hemmed ready for use. Sizes 20 x 20 and 22 x 22—
Regular value $2.00. Today **$1.45**
Regular value $2.50. Today **$1.75**

BED SHEETS AT LESS

500 Dozen Ready-to-Use Bed Sheets, made of full bleached sheetings, extra heavy qualities, double bed size—
Regular value 75c. Today ..... **55¢**
Regular 90c. Today ..... **65¢**
Regular value $1.00. Today ..... **80¢**
Regular value $1.25. Today ..... **90¢**

PILLOW SLIPS

500 Dozen Ready-to-Use Pillow Slips, good strong quality, of full bleached cotton. Assorted sizes—
Regular value 40c. Today ..... **25¢**
Regular value 50c. Today ..... **40¢**
Regular value 75c. Today ..... **50¢**

A Sale of Infants' and Children's Boots, Today, at 95c

This offering comprises our entire stock of Infants' Fine Boots, and sell regularly at $1.75, $1.50 and **$1.25**
Tan Kid Blucher Boots, turn sole. Sizes up to 10½. Regular $1.50 and $1.65, for ..... **95¢**
Patent Leather Blucher Boot, turn sole. Sizes up to 10½. Regular $1.75 and $1.50, for ..... **95¢**
Black Kid Blucher Boot, turn soles. Sizes up to 10½. Regular $1.65 and $1.50, for ..... **95¢**
Patent Leather Blucher Boots, with red or tan kid tops. Sizes up to 7½. Regular $1.50, for ..... **95¢**
Black Kid Blucher Boots, double soles. Sizes 8 to 10½. Regular $1.50, for ..... **95¢**

Art Needle Work Reductions

Burlap Cushion Covers, in a variety of Mission designs, stencilled and outlined in couching thread. Regular 75c and $1.00. Sale price ..... **45¢**
Stamped Baby Pillows, made of fine crossbar lawn and finished with 3-inch hemstitched frill ..... **50¢**
Cushion Covers, hand embroidered with mercerized thread on good quality cream linen, and finished with hemstitched frill to match. All ready for cushion pad. Special **$1.75**
Embroidered Emblems for children's dresses. In stars, anchors, bars and maple leaves. 15c, 12½c, and ..... **10¢**
New Designs in Tinted Cushion Tops for embroidery. Wednesday ..... **35¢**
Laundry Bags. Today ..... **35¢**

Creams for Chaps and Cold Sores at a 20 per Cent. Saving

Dartring Lanoline ..... **20¢**
Hind's Honey and Almond Cream ..... **45¢**
Elder Flower and Witch Hazel Cream ..... **20¢**
Oatmeal Cream ..... **20¢**
Cream of Cucumbers .... **20¢**
Cleopatra Complexion Cream ..... **35¢**
Hazeline Snow ..... **35¢**
Hazeline Cream (in tubes) ..... **20¢**
Peroxide Cream ..... **25¢**
Persian Beautifier ..... **45¢**
Daggett & Ramsdell's Cold Cream, 50c, 35c and .... **15¢**
Sanitol Cream ..... **25¢**
Pompeian Massage Cream, 90c, 75c and ..... **50¢**
Frostella ..... **20¢**
Creme Rhea ..... **45¢**
Cold Cream of Roses, 25c, 20c and ..... **15¢**
Pond's Extract Varnishing Cream ..... **35¢**
Creme Simon, 75c and **40¢**
Glycerine and Cucumber.. **35¢**
Sempre Giovini ..... **45¢**
R. & G. Lip Salve ..... **20¢**
Vinolia Lip Salve ..... **20¢**
Vantine's Geisha Cream .. **75¢**
Dr. Charles' Flesh Food, **50¢**
Pure Glycerine, 25c and.. **15¢**
Glycerine and Rose Water, 25c and ..... **15¢**
Rubber Gloves, for housework, best quality, all sizes, per pair ..... **85¢**

Women's Cashmere and Lined Gloves

Women's Cashmere Gloves, suede finish. Colors, navy, grey, tan, brown, beaver, chamois and black. 50c, 35c and ..... **25¢**
Women's Gloves, reinder finish. Colors, mole, chamois and white ..... **75¢**
Women's Dogskin Gloves, in beaver, white and tan **$1.00**
Women's Chamois Gloves, natural and white **$1.00**
Women's Suede Finished Gloves, mousquitaire strap wrist. Colors, mole, white, cream and drab ..... **75¢**
Women's Real Mocha Gloves, in greys and tans, silk lined. Prices $1.75 and **$1.50**
Dent's Dogskin Gloves, in tans and greys. Special **$1.00**
Dent's Dogskin Gloves for children ..... **75¢**